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ODDITIES IN THE NEWS

Better Way?—

Kansas City, Mo.: John W. Kimbell, 40, was peddling doughnuts from house to house when two young men drove alongside him. "That's a hell of a way to make a living," one of them said. Then the men forced Kimbell into the car and robbed him of $5.

Suspicious—

New Brighton, Pa.: After gas lights had gleamed day and night for two weeks under the drawn shades of an old stone house across from the borough park, neighbors called Health Officer Fred Myers. Mrs. Louise Elizabeth Stobridge. 85, met Myers at the door and led him into the living room. There seated upright in a chair before a table on which lay an open book, was the body of her husband. Doctors said he died two weeks ago, apparently of a heart attack. "I thought there was something wrong," Mrs. Stobridge said. "He wouldn't talk to me."

Relatives—

Fort Worth, Texas: Asking a restraining order in a local court, Mrs. Maggie Short told the judge she was running a grocery store under almost insurmountable difficulties. It seemed that some relatives of hers living across the way had the habit of thumbing their noses at her customers.

Back Seat—

Cincinnati: When Leo Pera, Italian consul, visited a school where most of the pupils are of Italian descent, he thought he'd ask an easy question. "What Italian has done the most for America?" he posed. Together, the children chorused: "DiMaggio!". "No it was another man." Pera paused, "Now children think. Who was it?" Finally, a little boy held up his hand. "I know his name," he announced. "It's Lombardi."

So What?—

Chicago: Rabbits which smoked 10 to 20 cigarettes a day for six weeks showed no serious effects from the experience, a St. Louis scientist reported Tuesday. Dr. Arthur W. Proetz described the smoking tests with rabbits to the American Academy of Opthalmology and Otolaryngology. He suggested to the nose and throat experts that his experiment indicated that what is true of rabbits which smoke is true of humans who smoke. Proetz' experiments with rabbits were conducted with a "mechanical smoker." He compelled the rabbits to smoke by thrusting their noses into a tube attached to a lighted cigarette.

Some of them "detested the experience," he reported. One, however, gave unmistakable signs of enjoying it and put his nose to the tube voluntarily."

Spread of the War—

Hazelwood, N. C.: Negro delegates to a church conference halted at near-by Kinston, en route to Sampson County, to inquire about detours. Warsaw. N. C. lay directly on the road they had to take, and they'd heard rumors Warsaw was being bombed.

Absent-Minded—

Pittsburgh: At East Liberty station a man in blue uniform disembarked from a New York-Chicago train recently and idly watched it pull out toward the downtown Pittsburgh station. Suddenly, he dashed to a taxicab and gave orders for a rush trip downtown. He'd just remembered he was the train's Pullman conductor.

Speeders—

Red Wing, Minn.: Paul Revere was fined $5 and costs for driving 45 miles an hour. Charlotte, N. C.: When John Murphy heard a police siren behind him he stepped on his brakes so hard that the cops rammed into his car. Derry, N. H.: State Motor Vehicle Inspector Kenneth Magoon paid $15 and costs for speeding 70 miles an hour.

Progress—

San Francisco: Local residents are marveling at the new Beachcomber Club—which features over the bar a 20-ounce drink known as the Beachcomber Special and behind the bar a glass tank where a girl dives for pearl oysters. They're also wagging their heads at a new service instituted by a jewelry store: for $100, the establishment offers to put bride, bridegroom, best man, and bridesmaid on a plane for Reno, Nev., at 9 a.m., furnish ring, taxis, minister's fee, and wedding breakfast, and return the wedding party to San Francisco at 1 p.m.

Competition—

Dallas, Texas: The district attorney's office recently received a complaint from a beer-tavern owner that the organ music, singing, and preaching in a near-by church drowned out the music of his coin phonograph and drove his customers away.

STATE OFFICER SPEAKS BEFORE BIG FARM BUREAU MEET

ANNUAL DINNER OF EDEN-WASHINGTON CENTER AT NILES MEMORIAL HALL TUESDAY EVENING HAPPY EVENT FOR MEMBERS

Approximately 200 members of the Farm Bureau and their guests sat down to a delightful dinner, prepared and served by ladies of the American Legion Auxiliary at the Veterans' Memorial hall Tuesday evening, the occasion being the annual dinner of the Eden-Washington center of the Alameda county Farm Bureau. The principal speaker was Ray B. Wiser, president of the State Farm Bureau federation.

The banquet was arranged by Joseph Shinn, Jr., retiring director of the center, and he was highly complimented on the success of the meeting. Mr. Shinn acted as master of ceremonies. introducing the several speakers and entertainment numbers.

After several entertaining features by students of the high school, Mr. Shinn introduced the president, who spoke most interestingly for 45 minutes, holding the attention of his audience continously, with his good advices. stories, and experiences in the work. He reviewed some of the problems that face the agricultural industry at this time, and those which are expected to come up in the very near future. He stressed the face that co-operation would solve all farm problems, and in fact solve all the difficulties confronting the nation today. He has a most pleasing manner as a speaker. and his discourse was thoroughly enjoyed.

Following his talk, the master of ceremonies introduced a number of county directors, some of whom talked briefly, while others stood to acknowledge the introduction.

The newly elected director and secretary were called before the meeting and introduced. Jack Clevenger, the new director, head of the agricultural department of Washington Township high school. stated that he would put forth every effort to make the coming year a successful one for the center, and asked the co-operation of all members.

James Nunes, also of Centerville, the new secretary expressed his wish that the organization could have a good year, and pledged himself to work to that end in his capacity as secretary. The Bureau meets regularly on the third Tuesday of the month at the high school building in Centerville.

The students from Washington higr school who privided the excellent program of entertainment included Walter Fasolis, accordian solo: Misses Vermelda DeLuce. Bernadette Mottos and Bernice Rose, in two enjoyable vocal trio numbers. Ben Mozzetti, appeared in an accordian number, and Josephine and Frank Cordoba, presented a brother and sister dancing act which included Spanish and Gypsy numbers. The presentations were accompanied by Miss Stockholm, a teacher in the high school, who coached them in their work. Both he and those having part are to be complimented on their excellent work, which was greatly enjoyed by the audience.

The bell which graced the table before the master of ceremonies, is one won by the Eden-Washington center in a membership drive. The local center has held it the past two years, and already a drive is on for members, so that the bell may remain here. It is awarded the center in Alameda county showing the greatest percentage of growth for the year. This center has 224 members this year, almost half of the enrollment for the county.

In concluding the meeting Mr. Shinn told of the several implements the center owns, which are loaned out at a 'nominal fee, The plan is working out nicely, to those who have some use for them. but not sufficient to warrant purchase of such machines. and eventually the equipment will be paid for, and at the same time affording an opportunity for their use by members. The retiring secretary, Anthony Silva, along with Mr. Shinn, where given a vote of thanks for their fine work the past year.

C. OF C. HEARS SPEECHES AGAINST $30 EVERY THURS.

George T. Loher of Oakland and Edwin Hurley, ex-senator, were speakers at the Chamber of Commerce meeting at the Florence restaurant in Niles Monday. Subject of the speeches was the $30 every Thursday proposition. and they spoke against the measure. They explained the probable results of enactment of this bill, and answered questions about it.

George Bonde, president of the organization, presided at the meeting, which was attended by a capacity crowd. Nine visitors were present from other chambers of commerce.

BANQUET MEETING OF ALUMNI ASSOC. AT HI SCHOOL TUES.

LARGE CROWD EXPECTED TO HEAR ADDRESS BY DR. DEUTSCH OF U. C.

Preparations for the annual meeting and banquet of the University of California Alumni association, to be held in the cafeteria of the Washignton Union high school the evening of Oct. 24 are going forward rapidly.

Dr. Monroe E. Deutsch, vice president and provost of the University of California, is to be the guest speaker and Robert Sibley, executive manager of the alumni association will also be present.

E. W. Burr will preside and the committee in charge of this affair is composed of Mrs. J. R. Whipple. A. J. Rathbone, Mrs. Roland Bendel, Mrs. Eula M. Wright, Mrs. Frank Dusterberry and Mrs. J. C. Shinn.

Due to the fact that Dr. Deutsch is to be speaker a larger number of people are making reservations for the banquet, and the attendance is expected to be much greater than anticipated. For this reason the arrangements committee asks that all alumni in Washington township who wish to attend get their reservations in early so that covers may be provided accordingly.

LOCAL NURSERY STOCK DOWN UNDER

CALIFORNIA NURSERY GETS REPORT THAT PLANTS SHIPPED TO SOUTH AMERICA, DOING FINE

Some time ago a resident of South America visited the California Nursery here and purchased a number of plants for his yard in the country "down under." Recently the office at the nursery received word from him that the plants were doing very well, and neighbors, being attracted by them want some shipped to them. The nursery, as most people know, ships stock to all parts of the world. The east coast people are big buyers of stock from our local concern.

Rev. R. C. Day attended the annual convention of Congregational churches for Northern Calif ornia at Santa Cruz Tuesday. He was also present on Thursday, accompanied by Mrs. C. H. Franklin and Mrs. W. T. Lindsey.

SILVA, PERRY RITES JOIN PROMINENT TOWNSHIP FAMILIES

CEREMONY MONDAY AT HOLY GHOST CHURCH IN CENTERVILLE FOR OLIVE PERRY AND THOS. SILVA, JR.

A wedding solemnized at Holy Ghost church, Centerville, Monday morning at eleven o'clock, united in marriage Miss Olive Winifred Perry and Thomas Silva, Jr. They are members of two well known Washington township families; Miss Perry being the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Perry of Bell Ranch road. Decoto, and Mr. Silva the son of Deputy Sheriff and Mrs. Thomas Silva of Centerville.

Rev. Father A. M. Souza performed the ceremony, assisted by Father L. E. Gleason. About one hundred relatives and friends of the two families were present at the wedding.

Miss Perry was attended by Miss Olive Silva, maid of honor, who is a sister of the groom. The groomsman was Frank Perry of Hayward, uncle of Miss Perry.

For the occasion the bride was dressed in a moss green suit trimmed with brown squirrel fur, and wore a corsage of orchids. The maid of honor wore a suit of Tuscan grape color with contrasting accessories and a corsage of gardenias.

Mrs. Perry, mother of the bride, was gowned in pidgeon blue crepe and wore orchids, and Mrs. Silva, mother of the groom, wore a gown of forest green crepe and a corsage of gardenias.

Following the edding in Centerville Mr. and Mrs. Pery entertained at a reception in their home on the Bell ranch road. After receiving the congratulations of their many friends and relatives the young couple left immediately for a honeymoon in the southern part of the state. They expect to be gone about one week, after which they will be home to their friends at their residence in the Hansen tract.

Mrs. Silva, a graduate of local schools and Heald's business college, was employed by an Oakland business firm for several years before her marriage and Mr. Silva, also a local graduate, and a student at University of California Agricultural college, is connected with the Shell Oil company at Hayward.

BABY BORN WITH TEETH AT SILVA MATERNITY HOME

A baby boy was born Oct. 12 to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Vargas, of Salinas, and at birth the child had one completely and several partly developed teeth. Mother and child are under the care of Dr. E. M. Grimmer at the Silva Maternity home.

According to Dr. Grimmer the child will have a complete set of teeth on both upper and lower jaws by the end of six months and possibly sooner. At the age of seven days the child is already cutting four large teeth on the upper jaw. The child is normal in every way and the teeth are apparently normal baby teeth with the exception of their structure, which is a little softer than usual.

Sam Anderson, of Centerville, is just completing the construction of a new residence at the south end of G street here. It is a beautiful five room structure with bath and all modern conveniences. The house will be ready for occupancy in a couple of weeks.

COMING EVENTS

Oct. 27—St. James Men's Club Card Party. Memorial Hall.
Oct. 27—Card Party, Alvarado Grammar school.
Oct. 20—Niles Rebekah Whist Party, I.O.O.F. hall.
Oct. 20—Centerville P. T. A. card party in school auditorium,
Oct. 21—Decoto Firemen's Ball at Swiss Park.
Oct. 24—Centerville P.T.A., 2:30 p. m., school library.
Oct. 24—U. of C. Alumni association dinner, W. U. H. S.
Nov. 3—Centerville Fire Dept Turkey Whist, Parish hall.
Nov. 7—Washington Township Country Club Meets.
Nov. 9—Niles Native Daughters turkey whist at I. O. O. F. hall.
Nov 9—Centerville S P R S I card party; parish hall.
Nov. 14—Niles P.-T. A. Meeting, Grammar school.
Nov. 17—K. of C. Turkey Whist. Parish hall, Centerville.
Nov. 10—Student Body play "Aunt Emma Sees it Through"
Nov. 18—Irvington Firemen's Auxiliary Dance Swiss Park, Newark.
Nov. 17—Thanksgiving holiday begins for schools.
Nov. 20—American Legion Card Party, Veterans' Bldg., Niles.
Nov. 20—Washington Township Welfare Club meets, Centerville.
Nov. 21—Township Sportsmen Turkey Whist Party. W. U. H. S.

BETSY ROSS PARLOR TO HAVE HALLOWEEN PARTY

Appointment of officers will be made tonight at the business meeting of Betsy Ross parlor, Native Daughters of the Golden West in Centerville. Following the business discussion a Halloween party will take place.

Mrs. Evelyn Garcia of Irvington is in charge of arrangements and she is assisted by several committe women; among them Mrs. Constance Amaral of Decoto. who helped with the decorations and Mrs. Evelyn Pashote of Irvington, who assisted with refreshments.

Members will attend in costume, and the evening's entertainment will consist of music and games.

THREE MEN KILLED WHEN CAR DRIVES IN PATH OF TRAIN TUES.

DRIVER IGNORES ALL WARNING SIGNALS, CAR DRAGGED 800 FEET ON RIGHT-OF-WAY

Three men were killed when a train crashed into their car at a railroad crossing near Pleasanton Tuesday evening. Ignoring both the train whistle and wig-wag signal, the car was said to have been driven directly into the path of the train.

C. C. Garcia, age 28, of Pleasanton, was driver of the car, and he was accompanied by A. M. Estopare. 29, and Ambrocio Jacala 29, both of Hood.

F. F. Ward was engineer of the locomotive. He said that he saw the car and blew repeated warnings on the train whistle but no attention was paid to them; the car continuing to drive at high speed onto the crossing. The light automobile was dragged 800 feet along the right-of-way before the train came to a stop.

PARKS GET FREE PHONE TO NEBRASKA

FORMER PUBLISHER WINS CONTEST AT FAIR AND GET FREE PHONE CALL TO COUSIN IN ORD, NEBRASKA

Norman H. Parks, former publisher of The Township Register. took part in a contest at Treasure Island Friday, while visiting the fair with friends, and being the lucky one, was given a free telephone call to any place in the United States. Mr. Parks elected to call a cousin, Mrs. George Guard at Ord., Nebraska. The call was made from a booth at the phone company's exhibit. The booth was of glass, so that a crowd of more than 100 people looked on. The conversation was amplified so it was easily heard by the audience. Mr. Parks stated that his cousin was surprised to get the call, which was carried on for more than five minutes.

Mr. Parks lived in Nebraska a good many years ago, and upon winning the contest, thought it would be fine to call some of his relatives there, whom he had not seen for some years. He thoroughly enjoyed the short visit on the phone. He stated that it is the first contest of any kind he had ever won.

MEN'S CLUB DINNER AT NILES CHURCH THURSDAY

A dinner meeting at Niles Congregational church of the Men's Club of Washington township was held Thursday evening to elect officers and hear reports from the auditing and ways and means committees.

As a special feature of the evening's program a speech was given by Jos. J. Rosborough, a former Oakland post master. Earl Hygelund, head of the organization, presided at this meeting.

Approximately fifty guests were present at this dinner, which was prepared and served by members of the Congregational church guild.

Among the many duck hunters from Washington township who will be ready at dawn Sunday to meet the opening of duck season will be Walter Martenstein, Lawrence Bunting, Robert Tyson, Dr. G. S. Holeman, Dr. E. M. Grimmer G. S. Holeman, Dr. E. M. Grifmer, and Ben Murphy. They will shoot at the Gustine Gun club where they are members.

FUTURE FARMERS SUCCESSFUL WITH TOWNSHIP PROJECTS

W. U. H. S. FRESHMEN MAKE GOOD START WITH HIGH GRADE LIVESTOCK

J. C. Clevenger, advisor for the Future Farmers organization at Washington Union high school, reports that plans for the 1939-1940 season have been completed and that some projects are already well under way. A large group of freshmen have started with thoroughbred calves, sheep and high grade beef stock.

Students formulate their entire program by themselves and all plans are laid out before a project is begun. Some of the students have been most successful in their undertakings. One of them, Clifford Dinsmore, of Alvarado, a graduate student, planted one-half acre of ground to sweet Spanish onions and harvested 350, fifty pound sacks of the vegetable. Some of the onions weighed as much as two pounds, eight ounces.

Another graduate student, Harry Sakata, has planted fifteen acres to vegetables, and is harvesting four crops a year. So far he has raised record produce with celery, tomatoes and spinach and one crop of sweet corn. He now plans to put in lettuce.

Anthony Pine, chapter president, presided at a Future Farmer's meeting in the school gymnasium Friday night. Following the business of the evening members enjoyed a basketball game and a boxing match. Refreshments were served at the close of the evening's entertainment.

At this meeting it was decided that the boys who are interested in dairying and animal husbandry would attend the National Dairy show on treasure siland which is to take place Tuesday.

Social activities of the Future Farmers chapter include a dance for the student body of Washington Union high school which they will give the evening of Nov. 3 and a student body program which they will present on Dec. 8.

NEW UNITS OF TOWNSHIP RED CROSS ORGANIZED

In Washington township this week six units of the Red Cross were organized under the general chairmanship of Mrs. Allen G. Norris of Centerville. Mrs. Lawrence George of Alviso heads that unit and her group will meet each Wednesday at the Alviso grammar school.

On Thursday of last week Mrs. George Harvey held an organization meeting in Alvarado I. O. O. F. hall and Mrs. Franklin Brown presided at one in the grammar school in Newark. Work in the Irvington area is being organized and directed by Mrs. Carl Christiansen.

Anyone interested in this work should apply for membership at the various points mentioned above because the Red Cross will appreciate all the help and cooperation it can get in preparing dressings and materials for the relief of the European war sufferers.

DEATH CLAIMS SISTER AT MISSION CONVENT

Sister Maria Norberta Kaldeweide of the Dominican convent at Mission San Jose was given final rites Tuesday with interment following in the Mission San Jose cemetery.

The deceased had been a member of the convent for 35 years, when death claimed her after a short illness. Arrangements were under the direction of the Berge Mortuary company of Niles.

DR. JAMES CRYAN DIES AFTER LONG ILLNESS

Dr. James Cryan was claimed by death in his Berkeley home Saturday, after a long illness, and funeral services were held Tuesday morning. Dr. Cryan had practiced dentistry in this community for about one year and a half before removing to Berkeley.

PLANS FOR ANNUAL XMAS PARTY MADE BY GUILD FRI.

Mrs. Ethel Grau, chairman, presided at the first fall meeting of the Arts and Crafts guild at the home of Mrs. J. Whipple Friday night, at which time plans for the annual Christmas party were discussed. Mrs. Wm. H. Ford was cohostess with Mrs. Whipple.

CHAS. MYRICK MARRIES URSEL HEDRICK SUNDAY

Miss Ursel Hedrich became the bride of Charles N Myrick, Jr., at a ceremony performed by Dr. E. Reagor at 2 p.m. Sunday afternoon in the Oakland home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Herbert Fowler. Only members of the two families were present at the nuptials, after which the bride and groom departed for a honeymoon at Carmel.

The groom is the son of Mr and Mrs. Chas. Myrick of Niles. and at present is employed by the Southern Pacific railroad company.

SAFER FOOTBALL FOR NILES SCHOOL WITH NEW SIX MAN TEAM

FIRST PRACTICE GAME WITH LIVEMORE TEAM ON NILES GRIDIRON

A new type of football. played with a six man team, is to be tried out by the Niles Grammar school, according to E. Dixon Bristow, principal. So far this style of game is said to be much saferbecause the play is much more open, and with only six players on the field injury is much less liable to result.

Cecil Griffith is captain of the Niles team, and the first practice game is to take place next Friday at Niles against the Livermore grammar school team.

Members of the Niles team and substitutes are Cecil Griffith, Robert Bragg, Joseph Bernard, Alex Oliveira, Lupe Marin, Robert Roderick, Henry Rego and Mickey Rose.

REV. J. H. McCARTNEY WILL DELIVER SERMON AT NILES

Pulpit of the Niles Congregational church will be filled Sunday morning Oct. 22, by Rev. J. H. McCartney of the Broadmoor Congregational Church, in exchange with the pastor. Rev. R. C. Day. Mrs. Catherine Parry will sing a vocal solo; Johnson's "Face To Face".

Friday today, seven representatives from the Young People's Fellowship will attend a Fellowship rally and dinner at the First Congregational Church of Redwood City.

An annual business meeting of the church and congregation will be held Thursday, October 26, in the church parlor. There will be no dinner in connection with this meeting. The Church Family Night and Dinner will occur during the second week in November.

TOWNSHIP FIREMEN ATTEND COUNTY MEETING THURSDAY

Alameda County Firemen's association held a meeting at Castro Villa near Hayward last night with Chief Al Moyer of the Castro Valley Fire department as host. Chief Thomas Lane, of the Alameda Fire department, head of the organization, presided.

Following the dinner a program of speeches and educational features was presented. Under the direction of Battalion Chief Frank Sandy, of the Oakland Fire department, a thirty minute study of hydraulics was also given.

Among those present from Washington township fire departments were Chief A. M. Alves, of the Niles department, and Assistant Chief Clarence Crane, who is also second vice president of the county organization.

PAULINE AMARAL WILL MARRY ED. MEDEIROS

Miss Pauline Amaral will become the bride of Edward Medeiros Sunday at a wedding ceremony to be performed in Holy Ghost church by Father A. M. Souza.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Amaral, of Centerville. Mr. Medeiros is a resident of Santa Clara, but formeryl made his home in Niles.

FUNERAL SERVICES HELD SAT. FOR FELIPA LOPEZ

Felipa Lopez, age one year and nine months, died in an Oakland hospital last Thursday after a short illness. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eustacio Lopez of Riverside avenue, Niles.

Funeral services were held Saturday in Corpus Christi church, Niles, with interment following in Holy Ghost cemetery, Centerville. Arrangements were made by the Berge Mortuary company of Niles.

THE GIFT WIFE . . .

By RUPERT HUGHES

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SYNOPSIS

On board the Nord-Express, with Ostend as his immediate destination, Dr. David Jebb is bound for America. Accompanying him is five-year-old Cynthia Thatcher, his temporary ward. On the train they meet Big Bill Gaines, former classmate and fraternity brother of David's. He tells Gaines of his mission, and of his one unconquerable vice—an overwhelming desire for liquor. Jebb feels the urge coming to him again, and wants to safeguard the child, whose father is dead and whose mother waits for her in America.

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Upon the leaden silence came the fluty ripple of a childish voice:

"Hello!"

And an exquisite face peering through a cascade of curls was thrust into the fog of smoke:

"Nunkie Dave, are you dere?"

Jebb leaped to his feet and caught the child to him in alarm.

"How did you get here, sweetheart?"

"I just come long de hall, Nunkie Dave."

"She calls me Nunkie Dave," he explained. "It's shorter than Mr. Jebb. Cynthia, this is an old friend of your Nunkie Dave's. Miss Cynthia Thatcher, may I present to you Mr. William Gaines? There's a good deal of him, but it's all wool and a yard wide."

"And it washes," said Gaines. He knew better than to patronize the young. He said, without condescension but with perfect gravity, as he put out his hand:

"I'm delighted to meet you, Miss Thatcher. Won't you come and sit on my lap?"

She looked at him in dismay. His fair round capon-lined torse was like a globe. She murmured:

"I'm 'lighted to meet you, Mitha Gainth, but you got no lap to thet on." Then she took command. "If you move ober, I like to look out de vinda."

"By all means, Miss Thatcher."

And Gaines hunched his bulk aside, far enough for the little queen to establish herself at the pane.

"What did your Nunkie Dave say your name was?"

"My name Thinthy Thashel."

Gaines threw up his hands in horror. "Thinthy Suitcase!"

The child shrieked with joy at the big man's stupidity. She corrected him as if he were an overgrown infant—"Thinthy Thashel" was the name and no other.

"That's a beautiful name," said Gaines meekly; "the beautifullest name for the beautifullest girl I ever saw."

She threw a look of confused vanity at Jebb, then flattened her tiny snub of a nose against the pane, most unbecomingly, and watched the quickening sights as the train rattled into a village.

Behind her back the men fell to talking about her:

"Cynthia Thatcher! That's a great name for a child," said Gaines; "she'll be an old woman before she learns to pronounce it."

But Jebb was gazing at her very solemnly.

"Poor little tike! Her history begins with a rush. She's only five, and she has already crossed the ocean, bidden her mother a long good-by, lost her father forever, been left alone among strangers in a land whose language she doesn't understand. And now she is sent back across the ocean in charge of a—a man like me. We've become great chums already. She likes me, and I—I love her.

"I've never had a child of my own, Billy. I never expect to have. But I've helped dozens of children into the world, and I've had hundreds of them brought to me maimed and twisted and defective and wounded and sick. They've been afraid of me, and I've had to hurt them. And sometimes I couldn't help them at all, and I've had to see them slip away from me like little drowning, frightened things.

"This is the first child, Billy, ever put in my keeping that was sound and well and beautiful and not meant for my horrible knives.

"I was so happy to have her. I scorned the idea of a nurse. Of course my training has taught me more about children than all the nurses on earth. And we set out like two children on a junket. I was her Nunkie Dave and she was my little Cynthy.

"And then that sot lurched into me—damn him!—no!—poor dog! perhaps he's like me—a decent fellow nine-tenths of the time, and heartbroken with an affliction he couldn't any more help than a dwarf can help his size, or a rattlesnake his poison. But he's finished me. It's a tough world, Billy. The only decent thing fate has done for me is to show me you."

He reached out and their hands met—in no secret clutch—but in the firm, frank grip of the universal brotherhood. It was some time before their clasp relaxed.

Meanwhile Miss Thatcher was trying to drown the racket of the wheels under a song which she shouted into the pane with all the power of her lungs:

"I had a ickel po-nee,
Hith name wath Dapple Gway;
I len tim to a la-dee
To wide a mile away.

She fipped him, she lathed him,
She dwove him froo the mire;
I would not lend my pony now-wow
Faw aw dat la-deeth hi-ah!"

At about the twentieth repetition of the little epic the pony stuck fast in the mire, for the train joggled up to a short stop. Outside the window was a small station. Some trifling accident, or a train dispatcher's signal had caused the delay. The crew did not descend or open the doors. The guards had no explanations to vouchsafe, though timepieces were whipped out of pockets in all the compartments and passengers were worrying lest the halt compromise their chances of making the boat to America.

Jebb was most nervous of all. He raised the window and poked his head out. There was no one to question. He went into the corridor to ask the guards. His only answer was a blunt "Weiss nichts" accompanied by a convincing look of stupidity. Jebb went back to his seat and played a devil's tattoo on the leather.

"I hope to the Lord, nothing happens to hold us here long, Billy," he wailed, almost childishly. "I'll not feel easy till I'm safe on shipboard.

Jebb threw his victim an ugly look.

Of course I've got you now, but I want to be on board. I'll take the ship's doctor into my confidence and have him lock me up somewhere."

His all too experienced excitement was interrupted by the frenzy of the little girl. She had discovered that the station had a refreshment room, and the refreshment room had a window where fruits and candies were appealingly displayed.

"Oh, see de awnjes!" she cried. "Thinthy wants awnjes. Nunkie must go get awnjes for poor ickle Thinthy."

Jebb answered: "Nunkie Dave would love to, sweetheart, but the train might start."

The argument carried little weight in the presence of the oranges.

"Nunkie, run fatht—buy quick—come back. Thinthy won't let naughty old train go!"

But Jebb shook his head and repeated his reasons. The child grew frantic. Jebb was dismal.

"I know just how you feel, honey," said Jebb, "but I'm afraid to risk it."

Gaines, whose heart was as soft and big as his bulk, smote his fat knees with his fat hands, and rose:

"I'll get you the oranges, Miss Thinthy Sashel."

Jebb checked him uneasily. "Nonsense, Billy, she doesn't need them. She oughtn't to have them. She—"

"Nonsense yourself. I can't see a lady perish like Miss Tantalus with oranges just out of her reach."

"But the train may start."

"I'll bet my hat we'll be here for a week. This is just the sort of place where a train always stays a long while. Anyway, it's just a few steps."

He had squeezed through the door and was brushing both sides of the corridor before Jebb could restrain him. The car was vestibuled, but Gaines knew how to manipulate the door from within.

The anxious Jebb saw him appear on the platform outside, glance forward and aft, and satisfy himself of the train's intention to remain.

Then he skipped, as the fat skip, to the refreshment counter. The woman in charge was out of sight. She was not easily summoned. She did not understand Gaines' German. He picked out three oranges and brandished them with one hand while the other plunged into his pocket. He had no small money. He found a bill. The woman went for the change. Her motives for leisureliness might be suspected. Gaines suspected them. He kept calling her and dancing impatiently. Eying the engine always he did not notice that a guard passing through the train and finding the vestibule door open, growled, and slammed it from within.

Suddenly the train started. Gaines left the change to the woman, dashed to the door, found it closed without handle or foothold.

Like a melon on a stream, his disgusted face was swept past the window and past the staring, horrified face of Jebb. Jebb thrust his head out and watched the smooth long side of the train glide with increasing speed past the bewildered Gaines, who searched and clutched in vain, and was left staring, the costly golden apples dropping from his hands and bouncing uselessly about the platform.

CHAPTER II

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In the hurrying crisis of his affairs, the loss of his protector stampeded Jebb's usual self-control. His sorrow for Gaines' mishap was nothing to his sorrow for himself and the child.

He dashed into the corridor, shouting to the guard to signal the train to stop. The guard was slow to be found and slower to understand; and once understanding, was aghast at the lese-majeste of stopping one of the Kaiser's trains simply to pick up a passenger. Besides, had not the passenger all the by the government ordained rules disobeyed and from the iron-road-wagon without permission descended?

Jebb would have stopped the train himself, at whatever risk of fine and imprisonment, but there was no bell-rope to pull, and he had failed to note the device installed His wrath and his anxiety and the necessity of putting them into German, choked him. He was frantic with fear, not for himself, but for the child, whose destinies were once more entirely in his untrustworthy hands.

Cynthia had come out into the corridor and was staring at him in such bewilderment that she forgot to bemoan her oranges. Jebb's face was pitiful. He was in the ultra-lonely and fearsome plight of one who cannot trust his own soul.

As he stood, alternately wringing his hands and pleading with the wooden-headed guard, the train, leaping forward toward full headway to make up the lost time, took a sharp curve at high speed, and lurched round it, hurtling the child violently along the corridor. Jebb put out one arm to catch her. He put his other hand against the nearest support to steady himself, just as the whipcord snap of the cars sent a heavy door sliding shut.

Its whole impact fell on Jebb's thumb. He managed to pull the door back enough to release his hand. He was used to the sight of other people's wounds, but the vision of his own lacerated flesh, and the peculiarly exquisite anguish of a mashed thumb, sent a queasy thrill to his stomach. His knees turned to sand. He fainted and went toppling and bumping to the floor, where the careening train rolled him like a loose barrel.

Cynthia screamed.

Passengers appeared at all the doors and jammed the corridor. A woman wrapped her arms about the distracted child, who was sobbing:

"Nunkie Davie's dead! Nunkie Davie's dead!"

A man knelt and raised his head.

"He's fainted, that's all. Has anybody got any brandy?"

As Cynthia was withdrawn from the scene, a Frenchman produced a flask:

"Je n'ai pas de brandee, monsieur, mais voice du cognac."

"Meme chose, monseer," said the American, as he pried Jebb's set teeth apart and poured a liberal potion into his clenched throat.

A shiver quaked through Jebb's whole length; he strangled, gulped, opened his eyes, looked about feebly.

"What's the matter?"

"You smashed your thumb, old boy, and keeled over. Monseer here had some brandy handy and I forced it on you."

"No, no!" gasped Jebb helplessly, "not brandy!"

"Yes, and good, too, by the sniff of it. You look a little green, old man. Have some more."

"No!" cried Jebb as he pushed it away.

"You better," said the Yankee, holding it under his nostrils.

"Yes," said Jebb, with a deep breath. He seized the flask greedily and took a generous draught. He offered it back, but as the Frenchman put out his hand, Jebb reconsidered and set the bottle to his lips again.

"En servez-vous!" said the Frenchman ironically.

Jebb took him literally and helped himself liberally.

"You must have a copper-lined throat," said the Yankee, "to swig it straight!"

Jebb gave a further demonstration of his prowess. He sat up on the floor of the car and, winking conceitedly at his fellow-countryman, drank his good health.

When the flask was again in his hands, the Frenchman turned it upside down with a rueful countenance. Only a drop or two leaked from it. With angry irony he said:

"J'en vous remercie."

"Huh?" said Jebb.

The Yankee interpreted with a laugh as he got Jebb to his feet.

"Monseer says he's much obliged for the flask."

Jebb threw his victim an ugly look, drove his fist deep into his pocket, and with a sneer offered a handful of money to the Frenchman.

"I pay for what I drink. How much?"

The Gaul understood without translation. He struck Jebb's hand aside, and the money jingled on the floor. Jebb was for trouncing him then and there, but the Yankee restrained him, pacified him, and guided him along the corridor to his own compartment.

Jebb swayed a good deal, but it may have been the train. He dropped into his seat dazed. But it may have been the dizziness of his suffering.

The Yankee brought to him the scared little girl and the coin, which he had gathered up in the corridor with the instinct that leads people to pick up other people's runaway hats for them.

Jebb thanked him for the little girl but waved the money away magnificently.

"What's a little silver to me?" he said a trifle thickly.

The American laughed and, laying the money on the seat, vanished to his own compartment.

With complete disregard of all his asepticism, Jebb wrapped his unsterilized handkerchief about his bleeding thumb. It was shrieking and throbbing, but an unleashed demon within him was shrieking and throbbing too. He was sick, sick, too grievously tormented to bind his own wound properly.

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Cleveland Twins Edit Paper for Sick Mother

CLEVELAND.—The House News, published almost weekly by young Neal Smith, has perhaps the greatest reader interest of any paper in the country—and the smallest circulation.

It has an unfailing circulation of one.

The staff of the House News consists of Editor Neal Smith and his dark-eyed star reporter Virginia—who also is his 10-year-old twin.

The News may not fare so well financially as papers go, but it is successful, nevertheless.

It is a labor of love, written exclusively for the mother of the devoted twins, who is in poor health.

The little paper is printed in pencil by Neal, who does the art work.

"Th' big story this week," said the little boy, working hard to get out the edition, "is about Nellie—she lives on the next street—who fell off the porch and scratched her face. We're bannering it!"

Most of the time the paper is four pages—one sheet of writing paper doubled in two, but sometimes, when there is a big story, it is eight.

When Mrs. Wallie Warfield and King Edward VIII were front-page news the world over the two children were just as busy as metropolitan editors.

"We were in favor of the marriage," Virginia said earnestly. "So we put down just what we thought—and you can see what happened. They did get married!"

Another good news week was the one preceding the marriage of their elder sister. They ran stories about what the bride would wear, what they thought of the bridegroom, and the prospects for good weather for the event.

When the wedding took place, they couldn't think of anything to say about it.

"Ev'ryone was there, anyhow," Editor Neal said. "No use writin' what ev'ryone knows about."

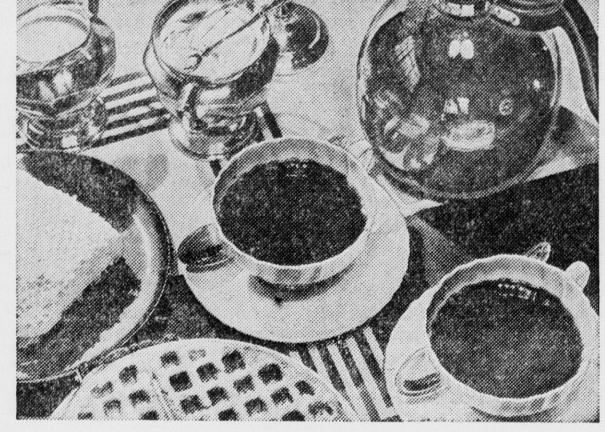
In a recent issue there was a squib about a fire on the next street.

Virginia covered the fire, ran over and got an eyewitness story—and then dashed breathlessly back just in time to make the edition.

When they see an illustration in a newspaper they like, the two transfer it to their paper by rubbing it with wax, laying the print on their paper and rubbing hard.

Neal does a weekly comic-strip which he calls "Herky Boy," and which is one of his favorite features. "It makes mommy laugh," he said, "even when she's lonely."

Household News By Eleanor Howe



Coffee and waffles are star performers for Sunday breakfast.
See Recipes Below.

At the Sound of the Breakfast Bell

Five mornings a week there's a last-minute scramble to get to school on time, and a mad dash to beat the boss to the office—and too frequently the all-important business of eating breakfast is neglected. Maybe the breakfast menu needs revising, or needs a "beauty treatment" to increase its appetite appeal.

If all homemakers would join forces to raise the standard of American breakfasts, it would be a long step in the direction of happiness and well being for the family. Breakfast needn't be elaborate to be good, but it should consist of foods well chosen and well prepared to tempt the appetites of members of the family who aren't ordinarily interested in this first meal of the day.

Serving something new, occasionally, is a more effective means of getting the laggards out of bed than the loudest alarm clock!

Blueberry Muffins.
(Makes 10-12 muffins)

¼ cup butter
¼ cup sugar
1 egg
2⅔ cups flour
3 teaspoons baking powder
½ teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon vanilla extract
1 cup milk
1 cup blueberries (well drained)

Cream the butter and add sugar gradually. Add the egg, well beaten, and mix. Sift all dry ingredients, reserving ¼ cup flour to be mixed with the blueberries. Add milk, mixed with vanilla extract, and dry ingredients alternately. Add the floured blueberries. Bake in greased muffin tins in a moderate oven (375 degrees) approximately 20 minutes.

Bacon With Apple Rings.

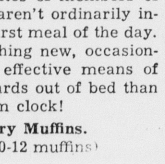
7 slices bacon
1 egg (slightly beaten with 1 tablespoon cold water)
White corn meal
3 apples (peeled and cut in ⅓-inch round slices)
1 teaspoon powdered sugar
½ teaspoon cinnamon
Juice of 1 lemon

Melt sufficient bacon fat to cover the bottom of a skillet. Cut bacon strips in halves, dip in beaten egg, then dip in corn meal. Saute gently in the bacon fat until each strip is a golden brown. Place apple slices in a mixture of the lemon juice, sugar, and cinnamon for a few minutes. Drain the apple slices, without drying, and saute in the remaining fat. Place bacon strips in the center of a warmed platter and arrange around it the browned apple rings.

Hominy Grits With Baked Eggs.
(Serves 4-6)

3 cups freshly cooked grits
5 to 6 eggs
Salt, pepper and paprika
½ cup cheese (grated)

Fill a shallow baking pan with the cooked grits. With a spoon make hollows or wells in the grits. Drop a fresh egg into each hollow. Sprinkle with salt, pepper, paprika and grated cheese. Bake in a moderately hot oven (375 degrees) for 20 to 25 minutes.



French Toast With Pineapple and Bacon.
(Serves 4)

8 slices bacon
2 eggs (slightly beaten)
½ cup milk
¼ teaspoon salt
4 slices bread
4 slices pineapple (canned)

Pan fry bacon until nicely browned and crisp; drain and keep hot. Combine slightly beaten eggs, milk, and salt, and mix well. Dip bread in egg mixture and saute in the hot bacon fat until golden brown. Then saute the pineapple slices. Place one pineapple slice on each piece of toast and top with two slices of bacon. Garnish with parsley, and serve very hot.

Waffles.

2 cups pastry flour
2 teaspoons baking powder
½ teaspoon salt
2 eggs
1 cup milk
⅓ cup butter (melted)
Sliced bacon

Mix and sift all dry ingredients. Beat egg yolks thoroughly and add milk. Then pour this milk mixture into the dry ingredients and blend lightly. Add melted butter and fold in the well beaten egg whites. Cut bacon into 1-inch pieces; place 1 piece on each waffle iron section and then pour waffle batter on hot waffle iron.

Buckwheat Cakes.

1 yeast cake
1 cup lukewarm water
3 tablespoons dark molasses
1 tablespoon salt
1½ cups flour
1½ cups buckwheat flour
1 cup lukewarm water (approximately)
1 teaspoon soda dissolved in ¼ cup water

Soak yeast cake in 1 cup of lukewarm water. Add molasses, salt, and flour, and enough additional lukewarm water to make a batter a little thicker than that used for ordinary griddle cakes. Put batter in a covered bean jar, and let stand over night. In the morning add soda dissolved in water. Bake on a hot greased griddle.

Birmingham Eggs.

Slice bread 1 inch thick, trim off crusts and cut a 1½-inch hole in the center. Place in heavy frying pan containing generous amount of butter. Break an egg in the center of each slice. Fry bread slices until golden brown, then turn and brown other side. Salt and pepper.

Quick Butterscotch Rolls.

2 cups flour
2 teaspoons baking powder
½ teaspoon salt
¼ cup shortening
¾ cup milk
Melted butter
1 cup light brown sugar
¼ cup butter
½ cup pecan nut meats

Sift flour, baking powder and salt. Cut in shortening and add milk. Roll out and brush with melted butter. Sprinkle with ⅓ cup brown sugar. Roll firmly like a jelly roll. Cream together the remaining ⅔ cup of sugar and ¼ cup butter. Spread this mixture, together with the pecan nutmeats, over bottom of baking pan. Slice biscuit roll in ½-inch slices and place cut side up in the butter-sugar-nut mixture. Bake 20 minutes in moderate oven (350 degrees) and turn out of pan at once. Serve upside down.

"Hurry-Up-Meals"—those problems of the present-day busy homemaker, will be the subject of Eleanor Howe's column next week. Miss Howe will give you menu plans and recipes for meals that can be whipped together almost in less time than it takes to tell about it.

Send for 'Household Hints.'

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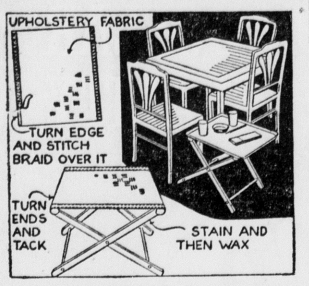
Handy Small Table Made of Camp Stool

By RUTH WYETH SPEARS

HAVE you ever wished for a small, low table that would appear from nowhere and disappear again when you were through with it? Have you ever thought it would be nice if Father's ottoman could be folded up and put out of the way when not in use? Or perhaps you have unpacked a suit case in a guest



room and wished for something other than the bed; a chair or the floor to put it on during the process?

A camp stool plus a tray to fit the top makes a very satisfactory small table to place beside a game table or to set up for your books or mending basket by your favorite chair. But be sure to dress it up so that it will look its best either when in use or when folded up and placed in some out of the way corner. A remnant of material and some upholstery braid will do the trick. Stain and wax are suggested for the base as paint might be marred in folding the stool.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Mrs. Spears has prepared for our readers a booklet containing 32 useful and practical suggestions for beautifying the home; with step-by-step directions clearly illustrated. To get one of these useful booklets, just send name and address, with 10 cents in coin to Mrs. Spears, 210 S. Desplaines St., Chicago, Ill.

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To Own

The magic of property turns sand into gold.—Young.

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WHILE JEFF WAS TALKING TO "SILK", "BUTCH" AND "FLIP" WERE HAVING A LITTLE DISCUSSION OF THEIR OWN -
I'M TELLIN' YA, "FLIP" THAT "SILK" IS A CHANGED MAN - HE'S BECOMIN' REG'LAR !!
SEZ YOU !!
NO FOOLIN' - I MET 'IM COMIN' OUT OF THE COOK-HOUSE THIS MORNIN' AN' HE SAID - "HELLO, "BUTCH", OLD BOY. YOU'RE DOIN' GREAT WORK THESE DAYS" !!
AW - HE WAS JUST BEIN' SARCASTIC !!
NO, "BUTCH" IS RIGHT, "FLIP" - I SAW "SILK" AROUND THE BACK YARD SMILING AND PATTING EVERYBODY ON THE BACK !!
PATTIN' 'EM ON THE BACK, EH? SURE, "DOPEY," HE WAS PROBABLY LOOKIN' FOR A GOOD PLACE TO STICK THE OLD KNIFE!
AW, DON'T BE LIKE THAT !!
TOMATO
ED WHEELAN
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LALA PALOOZA —The Ride Makes Dr. McCarver Light-Headed By RUBE GOLDBERG

NO, DOC - WE DON'T KNOW WHO DIS PINTO PALOOZA IS - BUT IT MUST BE SOMEBODY IMPORTANT ALL RIGHT
HEY!
OFFICER, OFFICER - I THINK I'VE LOST SOMETHING! MY HEAD FEELS COLD
I'M SO GLAD YOU DON'T WEAR A HAT DARLING - I LIKE EVERYBODY TO SEE YOUR BEAUTIFUL BLACK SHINY HAIR
PLOP
HOSPITAL QUIET
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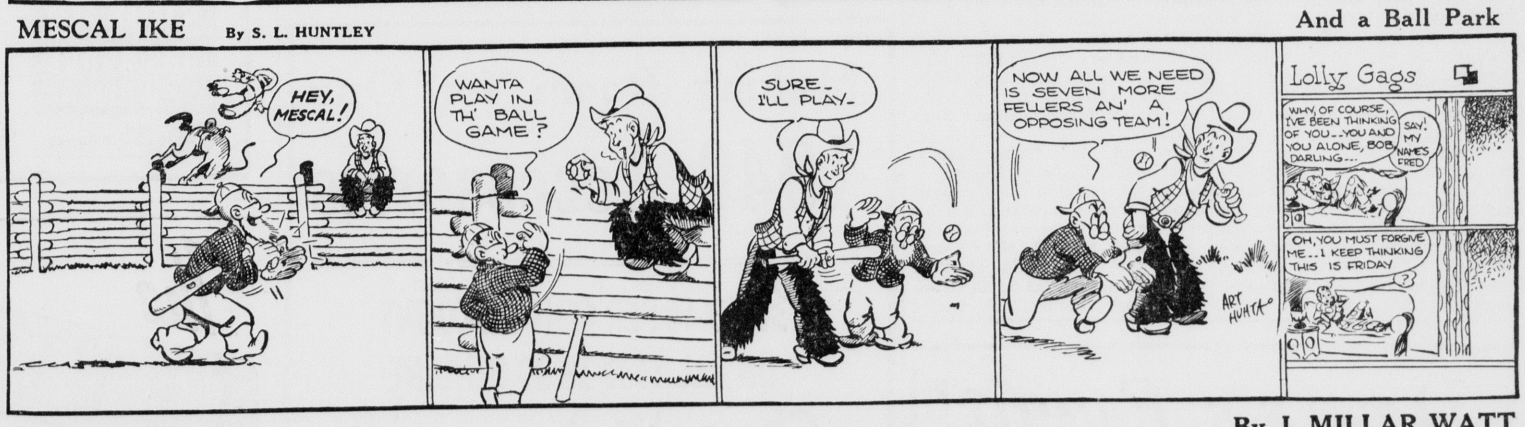
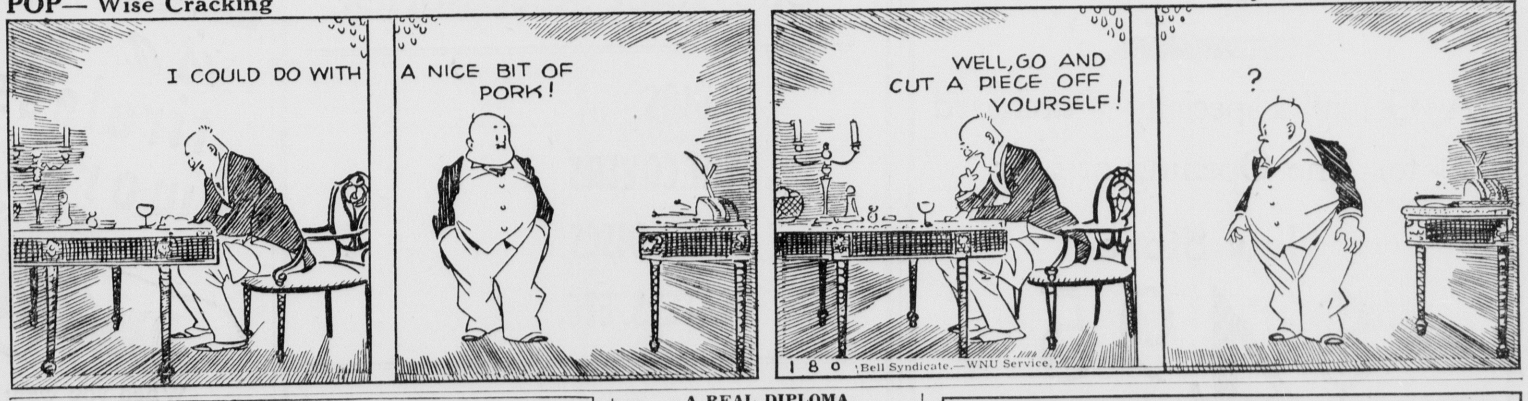
S'MATTER POP— Oops! He Spilled the Likeness! By C. M. PAYNE

LUVVA MIKE! HERE COMES THAT OLD CAT !
?
WHAT'LL WE DO ?
JUST DON'T LET HER KNOW THAT ANY ONE HERE LIKENS HER TO A CAT!
MISSUS QUIZZ, CAN YOU CATCH MICE ?
S'MATTER POP? HOW COME I'M GETTIN' THROWED OUT?
Bell Syndicate.—WNU Service.

MESCAL IKE By S. L. HUNTLEY — And a Ball Park


HEY, MESCAL!
WANTA PLAY IN TH' BALL GAME ?
SURE - I'LL PLAY -
NOW ALL WE NEED IS SEVEN MORE FELLERS AN' A OPPOSING TEAM!
Lolly Gags
WHY, OF COURSE, I'VE BEEN THINKING OF YOU - YOU AND YOU ALONE, BOB, DARLING...
SAY! MY NAME'S FRED
OH, YOU MUST FORGIVE ME - I KEEP THINKING THIS IS FRIDAY
ART HUNTER

POP— Wise Cracking By J. MILLAR WATT



Cheerful News

SANITARIUM BOMBED, 10 CHILDREN DIE
REFUGEE TRAIN HIT DURING AERIAL RAID
HOSPITAL WRECKED IN AIR RAID. 12 GIRLS KILLED
SEVEN AIR RAIDS ON WARSAW IN ONE DAY
AERIAL RAIDERS MACHINE GUN WORKERS IN THE FIELDS
WOMEN AND CHILDREN VICTIMS OF AIR RAIDS AT WARSAW
CAN YOU IMAGINE ANYTHING LIKE THAT HAPPENING HERE?
A BIG FIREWORKS DISPLAY TONIGHT IN CIVIC CENTER. AERIAL BOMBS ETC.,
(WNU SERVICE)

A REAL DIPLOMA

Palmeto—May I ask what piece of paper that is which you are gazing at in such a melancholy way?

Wimpus—You may. It's a diploma from the great school of experience.

Palmeto—I don't understand.

Wimpus—It's a canceled note I have just had to pay for another man who came in hurriedly one day and asked me to endorse it.

He'd Heard It Before

Atkins—I remember the time when our regiment was stationed near Babylon. Why, it was so hot we used to toast our bread in the sun, and . . .

Jawsom—Yes, I know; and they supplied you with corkscrews to draw your breath.

Among the Eligibles

Al—What did she say when you told her you were knee-deep in love with her?

Cal—Oh, she said she'd put me on her wading list.

SLOW PICK-UP By GLUYAS WILLIAMS

IS TOLD SHE HAS LEFT HER ROOM IN A SHOCKING STATE, AND SHE HAS JUST GOT TIME TO PICK IT UP
SURVEYS ROOM FOR A WHILE WONDERING WHERE TO BEGIN
PICKS UP SHOES, WANDERS OUT INTO HALL AND CALLS A BUTTON HAS COME OFF
DROPS THEM IN MIDDLE OF FLOOR, PICKS UP HER PAINTING THINGS.
PUTS PAINTING THINGS DOWN ON A CHAIR AND MAKES SURE DOLL IS ALL RIGHT
PICKS UP DRESS AND WANDERS OUT CALLING SHALL SHE HANG IT UP OR PUT IT IN THE WASH?
FAILING TO MAKE MOTHER HEAR, PUTS IT BACK ON FLOOR AND PICKS UP PILE OF GAMES, JUST AS SUPPER CALL COMES
DROPS THEM ON BED, SPILLING JIG-SAW PUZZLE, AND HURRIES DOWN
Bell Syndicate.—WNU Service.

Boundary Markers

Between the United States and Canada, the 3,100 miles of land boundary are marked by 5,483 monuments, or an average of one every 2,985 feet, while the 2,400 miles of water boundary are identified by 2,530 reference marks, or an average of one every 5,009 feet. —Collier's.

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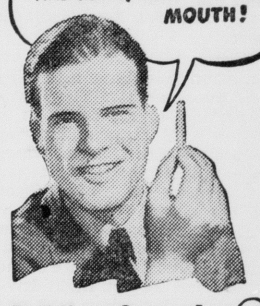

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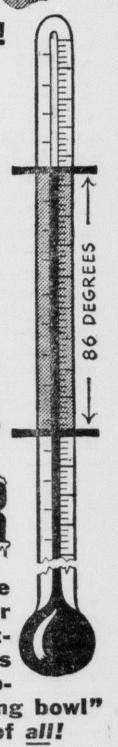

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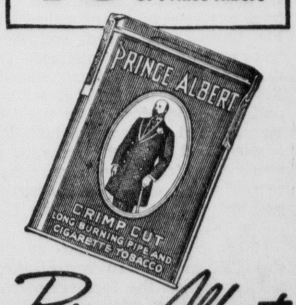

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BUCK ROGERS RIDES AGAIN

There are few people who would want to deprive elderly citizens of the many things the Ham and Egg proposition offers them with the $30 every Thursday, at the same time there are few of the older people who really want to put the other citizens of the state in the "hole" and in spite of all the arguments for the movement there is no doubt of the results. It is the age old idea of getting something for nothing—which so far has never been done. Every one respects old age and hopes for the people who want Ham and Eggs that all the good things they anticipate from the law, will come to them. But it just can't be done on the Ham and Egg system. It is necessary that the welfare of the state be given first consideration in voting on this matter on November 7th, which means a vote "No". Then some other reasonable plan can be considered to aid those people who wish security in their old age. Ham and Eggs is not the answer.

Attention has been called by one of the readers of The Township Register of the condition of the stretch of highway between Hayward and San Leandro, where there is a piece of parking between the two lanes of traffic. Some time ago a street car track ran through the section. It now is but a piece of rough dirt parking with no lines to indicate the edge of the pavement and the dirt. Night driving is rather hazardous with oncoming lights in the drivers' eyes. A white line along the edge would be a guide to drivers and our good reader suggests that the highway department take this step. This piece of highway is not in our immediate vicinity, but Washington township people travel the route a good deal, and join with residents of that vicinity in asking for this safe guard.

The new publisher of the Township Register received a number of compliments on the improved appearance of last week's issue. This is all greatly appreciated. The writer hopes for greater improvefent as we go along. The interest readers of the paper is taking is very gratifying. We'll do our best to give a better paper each week.

In discussing a bigger and better paper. it must be remembered that additional expense is involved. To produce a bigger and better paper, the revenue must be increased accordingly. The publisher invites merchants of the territory covered to use space in the paper. The Register pretty thoroughly covers the township, which assures any advertisers of a reasonable return on their investment in advertising.

The boys are getting back from the deer hunting country with some tall stories. The shooting of a man near San Brnardino last week, brings to minds stories circulated in the high Sierras. This San Berdo fellow was shot by another hunter while packing a buck in on his back. Earlier in the season, in the Oroville country, a hunter killed a buck. He engaged a burro from a sheep herder, to get his deer out of the woods. While the burro trudged along with the buck on his back, another hunter took a shot, killing the burro. Last season, they tell one about the Quincy section. A hunter shot a fine buck, but in his excitement did not "stick" him. He attached his tag in the proper manner. Just then the buck got up and ran off. The hunter trailed him. but soon he heard a shot and his buck, just ahead, collpased. The second hunter claimed the deer and an argument ensued. When the first man said it was his and he could prove it by the fact that he had his tag attached, the second said all right, take it. If you can get 'em down long enough to get a tag on 'em, I'll concede you are a bette rhunter than I.

Hearing the president of the state Farm Bureau organization tell stories on the farmers at the dinner Tuesday evening, reminded me of one they tell on a middlewest agriculturalist. He was taking some of his produce to the state insane asylum, and as he passed one of the inmates, the inmate yelled at him, asking if he was crazy, too. The farmer not caring to go into the matter drove on. replying in the negative. The inmate yelled after him, "You ought to try being crazy some time. It beats farming all to hell."

I was a guest at the Farm Bureau dinner Tuesday evening. Farm problems were discussed. I am of the opinion, after looking over that crowd, that there is nothing so bad with the farming industry that cannot be remedied by so fine a bunch of people as was seen there.

I go along with the new head of the Eden - Washington Farm Bureau Center in urging farm people to join the Bureau. It will act as a guide in your fram activities and help you solve your many problems—beside showing you a darned good time socially. Join 'em now.

CENTERVILLE NEWS NOTES

Washington Township Sportsmen met Wednesday evening at Hansen's hall to complete plans for the turkey whist party to be held in the Washington Union high school gymnasium on the evening of Nov. 21. In addition to turkeys there will be other prizes awarded to winners. Manuel Soito is in charge of the affair and he is to be assisted by various committees.

Students of Washington Union high school who had not attended the exposition on Treasure island were taken there by bus Tuesday. There were 42 in all and they were accompanied by A. J. Rathbone, principal and Miss Sybil Botelho, dean of girls.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Swainson attended the Golden Gate exposition on Treasure island Sunday.

A card party will be given at Memorial hall, Centerville, on Oct. 27 by the St. James Men's club. Dallas Paul is chairman of the arrangements committee.

Mr. and Mrs. William Rose and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rose spent Sunday at Santa Cruz.

Romeo Brunelli, owner and manager of the Central Chevrolet company, is expected home from a San Francisco hospital at the end of next week. He is reported to be recovering nicely from a recent eye injury. During his absense the business is being run by John Calcagno.

Joseph Ferry entertained at his home with a barbecue for about forty of his friends Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Rose visited Mr. and Mrs. M. Perry of Woodside Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Camille Santos and family attended the world's fair on Theasure island Sunday.

Mr. an Mrs. Chas. Wauhab returned Wednesday from a week's vacation in Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bauhofer of Centerville, and Mrs. Rose Schaer of Santa Cruz, spent Tuesday on Treasure island attending the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wipfli and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bauhofer were visitors at the exposition on Treasurer island Sunday.

Mrs. L. Foster and Miss Ruth Foster of Salinas. spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Oliveira.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Silva, Mrs. Mary Ferry, Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Ferry and Manuel Silva attended the fair on Treasure island Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claire Bettencourt and a party of friends attended the Golden Gate exposition on Treasure island Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Gilstrap spent the week end at their mountain home near Santa Cruz.

Toyohachi Inouye, 63, passed away at his home here last week. Funeral services were held at the Chapel of the Palms under the direction of a Buddhist priest, with cremation afterward in San Jose. The deceased is survived by a widow and five children.

Centerville Grammar school Junior Traffic patrol attended the University of Oregon-California football game played in Memorial stadium on Saturday afternoon. The squad was accompanied by Principal Thomas Maloney and Victor Silveria.

As part of the "Fire Prevention Week" program Chief Fred Rogers of the Centerville Fire department visited the Centerville grammar school on Friday October 13. Chief Rogers instructed the schools' fire squad in the use of extinguishers and had the students participate in a fire drill.

A dinner is to be given at the Centerville Presbyterian church next Wednesday evening by the Ladies Aid society. Miss Margaret Fair. president, is in charge of the committee arranging the affair.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold DeLeon attended the world's fair on Treasure island Sunday.

Mrs. C. E. Martenstein and Mrs. F. T. Dusterberry attended a meeting of the Hill and Valley club in Hayward Monday.

Mrs. T. N. Alevander entertained a group of twenty-five friends at bridge following the smorgasbord supper at Washington Township Country club Friday evening.

About 120 guests were present at the smorgasbord supper at the Washington Township country club Friday evening. The supper was prepared and served by the ways and means committee under the chairmanship of Mrs. Wm. Mette.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Pimentel attended the Santa Clara-University of San Francisco football game at Kezar stadium in San Francisco Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Anderson will entertain a group of friends at cards after the Presbyterian Ladies Aid dinner next Wednesday evening.

Mr and Mrs. George Emerson and Mrs. W. L. McWhirter spent Tuesday in San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Paul attended the Golden Gate exposition on Treasure island Tuesday.

Mrs. Warren Gravestock entertained a group of friends at luncheon and bridge Thursday.

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FINAL RITES MONDAY FOR MAN. DEFIGUEREDO

Manuel DeFigueredo was claimed by death Saturday at an Oakland hospital after an illness of several weeks. He is survived by his widow. Mrs. Jacinta DeFigueredo.

The deceased was a native of the Azores islands but had been a resident of Centerville for a long time. Funeral services were held Monday in Holy Ghost church, Centerville, with interment taking place in Holy Ghost cemetery. Dallas Paul, of the Chapel of the Palms, was in charge of arrangements.

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CENTERVILLE P.-T. A. MEETS AT GRAMMAR SCHOOL TUES.

Centerville Grammar School Parent-Teachers' Association will meet in the school library on Tuesday afternoon, October 24, at 2:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Inez Silva, program chairman, is planning a musical entertainment, and refreshments will be served with members of the Executive board acting as hostesses.

All members and friends have been most cordially invited to attend.

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ARTHUR KIRK NEW PASTOR AT IRVINGTON CHURCH

Rev. Arthur Kirk, new pastor of the Irvington Community church, was greeted by a large congregation last Sunday. He is filling the vacancy made by Mr. Carter McKenny, and is a student at San Francisco Theology seminary at San Anselmo.

Formerly from Seattle, Wash., Mr. Kirk was Director of Youth work in the Bethany Presbyterian church there, also a former teacher in the public schools of Mt. Vernon, Wash.. in Social Science and Natural Science department of the Junior high school grades. He also coached athletics and is a past president of the Washington State Christian Endeavor Union.

Mrs. Kirk, an able assistant to her husband, and also a student at the seminary at San Anselmo, was formerly a teacher of music in the public schools of Seattle Wash.

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Latvia for Fish Cuisine

Riga, capital of Latvia, is famous for its international cuisine, especially Russian, Polish and Swedish. Its fish were once so popular that a law was passed prohibiting the eating of salmon more than six times a week.

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Plans for the annual turkey whist party on Nov. 17 sponsored by Centerville council, Knights of Columbus, are going forward rapidly under the chairmanship of Harold DeLeon, who heads the committee in charge.

This party will take place in Parish hall, Centerville, and is to be a benefit affair; with proceeds going to the St. Mary's of the Palms orphanage in Mission San Jose.

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JOHN AMSTALDEN RITES MONDAY AT ST. EDWARD'S

John Amstalden, age 64, of Russel City. died in an Oakland hospital Friday after a short illness. Funeral services were held Monday morning with mass at St. Edward's church, Newark, at 10:15 a.m., and interment following in Holy Ghost cemetery, Centerville.

The deceased was well known here, having been in the dairy business for many years. He was a native of Switzerland. He is survived by six children, John, Jr., Louis, and Joseph Amstalden; and Mrs. Christina Orsetti, Mrs. Emma Orsetti and Mrs. Minnie Marchy. and a sister, Mrs. Agnes Lucksinger of Petaluma.

Funeral direction was by Dallas Paul of the Chapel of the Palms, Centerville.

HENRY GOMES RECEIVES $500 SADDLE FROM ARIZ.

Henry Gomes has received delivery of a new $500 saddle from the N. Porter company of Phoenix, Arizona.

This saddle, which Mr. Gomes will add to his already large collection of paraphernalia, is a beautiful piece of workmanship; being all hand embossed and composed of two toned leather. Along with the saddle Mr. Gomes has two genuine Navajo blankets. Collecting this equipment is a hobby with him, and he has various outstanding items of saddlery and other accessories.

The saddle was on display at a local business house Monday, and many people stopped to examine it.

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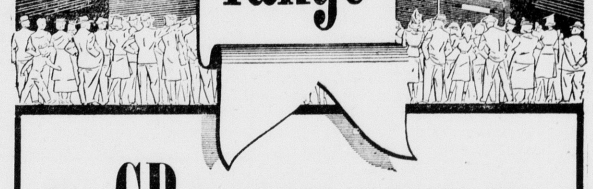

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NILES LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Mrs. Amy Moora was a business visitor in Oakland Tuesday.

Jane Smith returned home Monday after a week's illness in a San Jose hospital.

Miss Katherine Bliss attended the fair on Treasure island Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Crane visited David Cesari in Stockton over the weekend.

Mrs. Marjorie Moore and Miss Lorraine Smith were shopping in Oakland Monday.

Mrs. Richard Davis and Mrs. J. C. Nickel were business visitors in Oakland Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Pearl Wisewan and Mrs. Jennie Ferry spent Sunday at the exposition on Treasure island.

Fred Wood and Hugh Monroe attended the U. C. L. A.-Stanford football game at Stanford Saturday.

Mrs. Thomas Pugmire, Jr., gave birth to an eight pound baby girl at an Alameda hospital Monday morning.

Mrs. George Duffey spent three days last week at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Alvin Gomes, of Sunnyvale.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Sylvia of Pleasanton visited at the home of their daughter. Mrs. Clarence Crane, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Reese of Piedmont were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wood Monday night.

Miss Muriel Fournier accompanied the Township hiking club on a trip to Big Basin in the Santa Cruz mountains Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Davis spent the week end in Watsonville at the home of Mrs. Davis' aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bothwell.

Mrs. W. Walters, Miss Beverly Walters, and the Misses Clarice and Doris Dellanina of San Francisco were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Martinelli Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Mayer and Mrs. May Mayer attended the wedding of Miss Barbara Denehy and George Sherman in San Francisco Saturday. Mrs. Sherman is a cousin of Mr. Mayer.

Members of the Past Presidents club, DeGuadelupe institute, Y. L. I., met at the home of Mrs. Lida Francis in Newark Tuesday night, Mrs. Laura Mayer presided at the meeting.

Louis B. Mayer, of the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer motion picture company of Hollywood, who was on a trip through the bay ergion, stopped in Niles to call on William Helm of the Niles theater, one day last week.

The annual dance sponsored by the Niles Fire department was reported to be a big success. The attandance was much larger than had been anticipated by the organization and those who were present reported a most enoyable time.

Mrs. Joseph Oliver has received word that her daughter-in-law Mrs. Leo Oliver, arrived safely in Cucuta, Colombia. South America. She went to join her husband, who is chief engineer for the Texas Oil company. They will be stationed at Cucuta for three years.

Mrs. H. R. Hunt has returned from a visit to relatives in Taft.

Mrs. Mary Bliss was a visitor at the fair on Treasure island Sunday.

Mrs. E. DeGuilio returned Tuesday night from a four-day business trip to San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Munro will spend the week end in the San Joaquin valley duck hunting.

Milton D. Fournier returned Tuesday from an Alameda Sanitarium where he was operated upon recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Knudsen, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ferry and Mrs. J. D. Ferry enjoyed a trip to Manteca Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Nickel and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Blodgett attended the fair on Treasure island Tuesday evening.

Miss Celeste Bunker, Mrs. Maude Siler, Mrs. Agnes Nihil and Mrs. Dan Marble attended Alameda county day at Treasure island Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Giusti and Miss Melvia Giusti and Mr. and Mrs. Salvador Russo were among those who attended the exposition at Treasure island Sunday.

Frank Martinelli and Ernest Frick returned Sunday night from a week end hunting trip in Placer county. Martinelli brough back a 150 pound four point buck.

Mrs. Sarah Crane, Martha, George and Raymond Crane. of Niles, and Mrs Ila May Bratten, of San Jose, spent Saturday at the exposition on Treasure island.

Mrs. Ed. Clarke, Miss Rosemary Clarke and Mrs Mary Regan entertained at a home whist for the benefit of St. Anthony's booth of the Corpus Christi church Tuesday night.

Mrs. C. E. Martenstein was a guest at a club luncheon in Berkeley Monday. The Ebel club sponsored the affair, which was in the way of a benefit.

Mrs. Hugh Munro entertained the Martha Sanford circle, mothers club of the Niles Congregational church, at a benefit tea in the home of Mrs. Henry Vervais on Thursday of last week. The affair was held between two and four in the afternoon and the guests enjoyed several games of Chinese checkers.

Today, Friday, the eighth grade class of the Niles grammar school is enjoying a trip to Treasure island to attend the Golden Gate exposition. The pupils are accompanied by E. Dixon Bristow, principal of the school, Miss Celeste Bunker and several of the children's mothers. The trip is being made by bus. Students of the seventh grade are to attend the fair also but a definite date has not been set as yet.

Mrs. Thomas Pugmire and Mrs. R. J. Bradford entertained at a stork shower for Mrs. Merle Pugmire recently. The afternoon was spent playing whist, with Mrs. Ed. Mara making the highest score and Mrs. Merle Pugmire the lowest. After the games refreshments were served by the hostesses.

George Medeiros was a business visitor in San Jose Tuesday.

Mrs. William Mendoza gave birth to a baby boy at the Silva Maternity home Friday afternoon.

Dr. and Mrs. E. C. Dawson visited in Oakland and also attended the fair on Treasure island Sunday.

Mr. an Mrs. F. E. Rogers were in San Francisco and Oakland Monday where they attended to business matters.

Niles Cubs, a branch of the boy scout organization, will enjoy a swimming party at Hayward plunge next Wednesday.

Next Tuesday a special all-talking picture, "Robinson Crusoe." will be shown at Niles grammar school for the student body.

Mrs. R. J. Bradford attended a luncheon of the Past Noble Grand club of Byron at the home of Mrs. E. M. Noyes in Alameda Tuesday.

A folk dancing class under the direction of Miss Olive Crothers and Miss Leona Solon has been started at the Niles Grammar school.

Mrs. E. C. Dawson is attending a luncheon of the Women's Auxiliary of the Alameda County Medical association at the Claremont country club this afternoon, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Poulton, of Oakland, visited friends here Wednesday. Mr. Poulton was an employee of the Register office for a number of years some time back, and made a pleasant call.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Krumland and son, Roy, Mr. and Mrs. A. Cowan and Mrs A. Reeder visited at the home of Mr and Mrs. R. J. Bradford recently While here they attended the exposition on Treasure island.

J. Boyce Smith, former publisher of The Register has secured a position as vacuum cleaner salesman, and is now located at Walnut Grove, out of which place he is working.

Niles Cub Den, No. 1. under the direction of Chief Denner Richard Brunelli, will meet at his home in the future to practice for tests. Den No. 2, will meet with Chief Denner Bruce Roeding at his home.

Mrs. Irene Kibby and Mrs. Ivy Cull attended the card party given by the Alvarado Rebekah lodge for the benefit of the Orphan's Odd Fellows home at Gilroy, last Thursday evening.

Gilbert Wright, linotype operator and printer has accepted employment in the Township Register office, starting work Monday morning. He and Mrs. Wright are living in San Leandro. but they expect to make their home in Niles as soon as suitable living quarters can be secured.

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Jack Cahill, Russell Jones and A. Cardoza all of Niles, returned here Thursday from Yreka where they had been on a deer hunting trip.

Cahill killed a six point deer weighing 160 pounds, and Jones killed a 100 pound forked horn.

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DECOTO NEWS

Mr and Mrs. Philipp Ruiz's three children have returned home from the hospital where they were confined with ptomaine poisoning.

Frank Brown, Sr., is ill at the home of his daughter. Mrs. J J Cordeiro.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry C Searles have returned home from a weeks vacation spent at the home of relatives in Eureka.

Mr and Mrs Frank Pimentel attended the exposition on Treasure island on Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Manuel Rodriques visited at the home of Mr and Mrs M D Silva on Sunday afternoon.

Florence Milina has been confined to her home here for several days with a severe cold.

Mr and Mrs Joe Seoane, Jr., have returned from a week's honeymoon spent in the south.

A large number of Decoto peole enjoyed the Fireman's Dance held at Mission San Jose on Saturday evening.

Mrs. G. Peterson of Lincoln, Nebraska, is enjoying an extended visit to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ed. Mara.

Mrs. Lawrence Luevano gave birth to a seven pound, eleven ounce baby boy at the Silva Maternity home Oct. 8th.

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ALVARADO

Mr and Mrs John Meneze and the Misses Alice and Alberta Meneze attended the Golden Gate theatre in San Francisco on Sunday. They were fortunate to view the Columbus Day parade which was staged Sunday instead of Thursday October 12.

A number of Alvarado farmers and Future Farmers attended the Farm Bureau dinner which was held at the Veterans Memorial building in Niles on Tuesday evening.

Walter Fasolis and Josephine and Joaquin Cordoba took part i nthe musical program. Mrs. May Santos was afong the eighteen in the musical progarm. Mrs May Santos was among the eighteen waitresses required to serve the two-hundred members and quests who attended.

E. M. Foley. recently retired employee of the Alameda County Water district, made another of his numerous trips to the San Franciso Fair this past week end. Mr Foley has taken a number of colored moving pictures of the fair and other points of interest in San Francisco.

Mrs. Mike Gardetto, Mrs May Perry and Mrs May Santos have been appointed as a committee to make arrangements for a card party to be held on October 27 in the school auditorium at 2 o'clock. The proceeds will be used to furnish milk to undernourished children.

Manuel Silva, Joseph E. Dutra and Enos Garcia of Hollister, and Jack Avila of Hayward, spent Sunday fishing for bass at Rodeo. Dutra was lucky enough to return with four, ranging from 8 to 12 pounds. Mr Silva brought in one.

MRS. JUANA CORTEZ IS GIVEN FINAL RITES

Mrs. Juana Cortez, age 64. passed away at her home on Seventh stree, Decoto, Tuesday night. She is survived by her husband, Paulino Cortez, and several children.

Funeral services will be held this morning, Friday, in her late home with interment in Holy Sepulchre cemetery, Hayward, following.

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A three room house on Osgood ave., belonging to Manuel Bettencourt, was destroyed by fire Tuesday night. Cause of the fire is unknown. Tenants had moved out the day before, and the house was empty at the time.

IN THE SOUTHERN DIVISION OF THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
IN THE MATTER OF EDWARD ROSE, BANKRUPT.
NO. 30326 S
IN BANKRUPTCY
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that EDWARD ROSE, bankrupt, has applied for a discharge from all his debts. Creditors and parties interested may attend this Court in the Post Office Building, San Francisco, California, on MONDAY the 20th day of NOVEMBER. 1939, at 10 o'clock A.M., of said day, there to show cause why the discharge should not be granted.

"A creditor opposing an application for discharge or for the confirmation of a composition or extension proposal, shall enter his appearance in opposition thereto on the day when the creditors are required to show cause, and shall at the same time file a specification in writing of the grounds of his opposition."

GENERAL ORDERS IN BANKRUPTCY, NUMBER 32

The opposition to the bankrupt's discharge must be based upon one or more of the grounds set forth in Section 14b of the Bankruptcy Act.

Form Number 58 has been prescribed by the Supreme Court of the United States for the specification of grounds of opposition to bankrupt's discharge.

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WHO'S NEWS THIS WEEK

By LEMUEL F. PARTON

NEW YORK.—As we get it, Amos Alonzo Stagg, now in his fiftieth season of football coaching, leads the boys in prayer just before the game starts. However, they do not pray that they may win, but that they may do their best. That would be considerable for any outfit trained by Mr. Stagg.

Stagg Prays Only That Boys Give Their Best

When his short-end College of the Pacific team turned in a seeming miracle recently by defeating the University of California, all reports agreed that the game was won on merit and not through any outside help.

As the old saying goes, "A wise old man's shadow is worth more than a young buzzard's sword." Mr. Stagg, now 77 years old, is, indeed, wise in strategy and diligent in performance. He has contributed to the game the triple pass, the fake pass, the unbalanced line, the flanking formation and several other dangerous devices, and he has come along through the era of change a jump or two ahead of his rivals in mastering and teaching the long pass and the open formation, much more adaptable than any of the elder statesmen of world politics. He says change and experiment have vastly improved football.

This writer once knew an old-timer who worked with young Amos Alonzo Stagg when he was the champion hay-shoveler on the salt marshes around Newark bay. My informant said young Stagg would figure out a nice leverage on the fork handle, and move more hay with less effort than any other man of the lot. He saved his earnings and went to Yale Theological school. After his graduation, he found public speaking difficult, turned away from the ministry and became a coach at the Y. M. C. A. college at Springfield, Mass.

In 1892, he went to Chicago and for 40 years was not only a team builder but a "character builder." He forbade liquor, tobacco and profanity, and made it stick. Seven years ago, he left Chicago because of the retirement-at-70 rule, renewed his gentle exhortations at the College of the Pacific. He keeps fit by tennis and a jog up and down the road every day.

He was also a demon baseball player in his youth, pitching Yale to five successive championships. While he is, naturally, tagged the "Grand Old Man of Football," his many admirers would take in a lot more territory.

IN OUR present attempt to remain neutral, there is much pulling and hauling over the opinions of John Bassett Moore and Professor Philip Jessup. If anybody knows what international law is, they are the two Americans who would qualify, but it is still pretty foggy, as it was 300 years ago when old Hugo Grotius left it that way. The 79-year-old, spade-bearded Mr. Moore resigned from the world court in 1928 to compile 75 volumes covering international law and neutrality in the World war.

War as Long as We Love Pomp Attending War

In 1922, after 37 years of pondering these matters, he wrote:

"So long as we love glory, so long as we worship bravery, so long as we thrill at the call of battle, so long will we love war. Mothers may say that they do not raise their sons as food for cannon, but when the call comes, these same mothers will be the first to answer."

Mr. Moore vigorously opposed the Kellogg pact and all other such devices and denounced the "callow striplings" and "shallow dupes" who offer them. As befits an authority on neutrality, he parts his hair in the middle. He is probably America's most distinguished scholar and authority in this field.

FOUR railroad presidents have died in the last year. All have been replaced by younger men and by men of operating, rather than management or legal, background. Charles E. Denney, elected to the presidency of the Northern Pacific, started with a switch company, up through grades with John J. Bernet, who made railroads out of junk-heaps rather than debentures. In Lancaster, Pa., he sold papers as a boy and worked his way partway through Pennsylvania State college as a runner for a boarding house. He is six feet tall, weighs 200 pounds and has vigor and enterprise to match.

Get Rail Chiefs From Ranks, Order of Day

(Consolidated Features—WNU Service.)

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS BY JOSEPH W. LaBINE

Soviet Presses New Conquests As World Looks Elsewhere; Nazi 'Ally' Is Sole War Victor

(EDITOR'S NOTE—When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst and not necessarily of this newspaper.)

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RUSSIA:
Cat and Mice

Six weeks after it started, the war of 1939 had apparently been won by Russia, a noncombatant. The soviet held two-fifths of Poland and controlled the little nations of Lithuania, Latvia and Estonia whose German populations were repatriated by the Fatherland in what was Nazidom's most ignominious defeat. In all these countries Russia won important naval bases *(see map)* which gave her control of the Baltic sea and constituted a direct threat against Scandinavia. Lithuania, the last to capitulate, even accepted a part-Communist social order.

Finland was next, her delegation opening consultations in Moscow while the folks back home evacuated cities, strengthened the army and

RUSSIA IN THE BALTIC
Why fight to win a war?

prepared to fight demands for Soviet bases on Hogland island and the Aalands.

(There were signs of joint U. S.-Scandinavian action to bloc Russian conquest of Finland. In Moscow, U. S. Ambassador Laurence A. Steinhardt was reported to have expressed his government's "earnest hope" that nothing may occur to affect injuriously peaceful relations between Russia and Finland).

Germany's retreat from the Baltic was not Herr Hitler's only setback. While Russia offered him assistance with one hand, her ships sailed from the White sea bearing timber for England in exchange for rubber and tin, thus consummating a new trade agreement with Hitler's most bitter enemy.

If the British gloated over this apparent victory, they soon changed their minds. Red army units in the Caucasus mountains facing Persia and Turkey were reinforced. The Soviet looked hungrily at Afghanistan, British-dominated, and the gateway to British India. Capitulating to this southerly threat, Turkey rushed to initial a pact with Russia, planning to sign agreements with France and Britain the next day. Net effect would be to neutralize the eastern Mediterranean and the Black sea, freeing Russia to do as she pleases in the Baltic.

Observers agreed that if Germany wants to destroy western democracies, Herr Hitler's pact with Russia has been a good start. But like the wily cat who strikes while the mice fight among themselves, shrewd Dictator Josef Stalin may destroy a lot of oher things unless Europe's war is stopped immediately.

AGRICULTURE:
Report Card

If U. S. corn supplies reach 110 per cent of normal, AAA legislation requires a referendum among producers on establishing marketing quotas. For the past month corn estimates have bobbed up and down, mostly down on the strength of drouth reports. But by early October enough returns were in to place the estimate at 2,532,000,000 bushels. Last year's record carryover was 546,000,000 bushels. Total: 3,078,000,000 bushels, which is about 48,000,000 above the marketing quota level. Still there would be no referendum, for on September 13 (the specified date for determination) indicated supplies were conveniently below the level. But there was every sign the department of agriculture will ask big corn acreage reductions next year, probably from this season's 94,000,000 acres to about 90,000,000, provided warring Europe doesn't buy too many hogs. Other crop news:

Cotton: In the Carolinas it was good, helped by heavy August rains and a dry September. Louisiana also had a good crop, but in Texas and Oklahoma dry heat had stopped development, caused premature opening and attracted the weevil scourge. Result: The department of agriculture cut its September 1 crop estimate by 452,000 bales. New estimate: 11,928,000 bales.

Wheat: Spring wheat estimate was increased 4,000,000 bushels over September 1 forecast. New estimate: 189,000,000 bushels. Including winter wheat there will be an aggregate of 740,000,000 bushels, plus 254,000,000 carryover. Total: 994,000,000, of which about 700,000,000 will be needed domestically.

THE WAR:
From Rostrum:

Said France's Premier Daladier: "If Hitler really wants a durable peace it must be based on the security of nations, guaranteed reciprocally, without the danger of surprises."

Chimed in Britain's Prime Minister Chamberlain: "It is for Germany to make her choice . . . Either the Germans must give convincing proof of the sincerity of their desire for peace . . . or we must preserve our duty . . ."

Said Adolf Hitler: "The decision of peace or war lies with others. We simply have a grave determination to fight."

From such a hopeless deadlock there seemed no alternative except a fierce war. But the still, small voices of peace began rising everywhere. In Germany it was the mysterious mobile radio station urging that Hitlerism be discarded. In France it was a few "defeatists" who were promptly slapped into jail. But in London it was little David Lloyd George, World war prime minister who only a week before had startled commons by demanding that Britain give careful consideration to Hitler's peace offers. Arguing that a collective pact among all European nations need not be "dependent on the word of Herr Hitler," Lloyd George was rumored leading a campaign against advocates of "war at any price."

Taking a cue from the earlier speech in which Lloyd George had counseled U. S. leadership in a world peace move, Herr Hitler first had his throttled press give the British statesman a build-up, then released a plea that America might help prevent Europe's frightful "bath of blood." But the U. S. was choosy; the White House and state department would think carefully before volunteering.

At the same time, other Britons looked askance at the allies' apparent plan to wage war only on the western front. Could anybody win from such stalemated positions?

On Land

There was every indication Germany planned to open a fierce thrust on the western front, thus retaliating against spurned peace offers. Paris heard that Hitler had summoned his generals, ordered them to clear the French off Nazi territory and to drive swiftly through Belgium and Switzerland in a great offensive. The first part of this order was evidently borne out when "suicide squads" of grenadiers were thrust wave after wave against French outposts. Scouting planes appeared over the lines taking photographs. Strangely, many a Nazi raid appeared to have a solitary aim—to capture prisoners and thus get information.

At Sea

Fireside generals have long fought the battle of warship vs. bomber. Before October is out, the victor may be known. Authoritative German circles said Nazi planes had dropped 10 bombs in a single raid on British vessels blockading the North sea. Since the allies wanted no peace, the raids would continue. Commented the official German news agency: "The time of unqualified British control of the seas is gone forever."

DAVID LLOYD GEORGE
This little man wanted peace.

(At Amsterdam, Netherlands, a Dutch seaman came home to announce he had sailed from New York on the long-missing German luxury liner, Bremen, had helped plow her through cold northern seas while she flew the Soviet flag, and helped dock her safely at Russia's Arctic ocean port, Murmansk.)

NEWS QUIZ

Know your news? One hundred is a perfect score. Deduct 20 for each question you miss. Anything about 60 is good.

1. The above fellow, once governor of Kentucky, is shown taking an oath in Washington. What's his name? What oath is he taking?

2. Al Capone, former Chicago gang czar, is in the news now because: (a) he is taking piano lessons at Terminal Island prison, California; (b) he has become a fruit grower at his Florida home; (c) he will be released from prison next month.

3. His initials are Robert G. As official executioner for five eastern states, he electrocuted Sacco and Vanzetti and Bruno Richard Hauptmann, kidnaper of the Lindbergh baby. What's his last name? What happened to him?

4. Richard Gallogly is under life sentence in Georgia, convicted of a "thrill" murder in 1928. How did he make news recently?

5. Charles A. Byrne is New Orleans district attorney. He recently: (a) set a new record for prosecutions, for which the governor honored him; (b) was charged with blocking a grand jury's investigation of alleged graft and corruption; (c) started a racket-busting campaign similar to that of New York District Attorney Thomas E. Dewey.

(Answers at bottom of column.)

CONGRESS:
Talk Fest

Washington's important news was not that the senate had refused 65 to 26 the resolution by New Hampshire's Sen. Charles W. Tobey to split the arms embargo repeal issue away from the rest of the pending neutrality bill. This was not big news because the administration bill seemed a cinch to pass whenever the final vote came.

Much bigger news was the fact that the issue of war vs. peace vs. neutrality had stirred an unprecedented free-for-all in congress and elsewhere at a time when national unity was the watchword. There was angry speech-making, too much of it, fraught with a bitterness that might have made the U. S. look slightly silly and indecisive in time of crisis.

MISSOURI'S CLARK
"Idiotic, moronic, unpatriotic . . ."

Missouri's Isolationist Bennett Champ Clark took the senate floor to maintain that the Tobey vote was no test. He stayed to make a speech on how the President's "limited emergency" proclamation has been used for dictatorial, warlike moves. Case in point: Placing the Panama canal under military control, an action Senator Clark said was valid only when the U. S. is engaged in war, or when war is imminent.

A speech the night before by Assistant Secretary of War Louis Johnson next attracted the senator. Mr. Johnson had said the U. S. army is as vulnerable to German mechanized legions as was the Polish army. Commented Mr. Clark: "In my judgment no more idiotic, moronic, unpatriotic remark ever has been made . . . To compare the situation in the U. S. with the situation in Poland . . . is an attempt to alarm our people . . . which to my mind is beneath contempt."

Next came Nebraska's Repealist Edward R. Burke in a speech denouncing Hitlerism, predicting a revolution for Germany and urging the U. S. to cast its lot with the allies by providing every assistance "short of supplying men and money."

News Quiz Answers

1. He is A. B. ("Happy") Chandler, who resigned as governor to succeed the late Sen. Marvel M. Logan.
2. (c) is correct. Capone is expected to be freed by November 19.
3. Robert G. Elliott. He died.
4. By walking out of prison, picking up his wife and driving to Texas "to get justice."
5. (b) is correct. Impeachment proceedings have been filed against him.

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Paradox of Peace Songs Coupled With War Plans Prompt Inquiry

Debates in Senate All Stress Theme 'We Must Keep Out of European Mess'; Then Why Is Alarmist Point of View Propagated From Capital?

By WILLIAM BRUCKART
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WASHINGTON.—While the senators continue drooling out thousands of words concerning the proposed repeal of the arms embargo, any observer can hardly fail to note the same theme song in all of the speeches: we must keep out of Europe's war. The senators, and the representatives, too, seize upon every opportunity to tell the nation—either from the capitol or any other rostrum—that it is a war on the other side of the Atlantic and that we must remain out of it.

President Roosevelt's every statement, and they have been coming with the frequency of rain in the tropics, projects the same command. He says he hates war and wants to keep the country at peace. His subordinates throughout the government—every one with a title sufficient to draw a crowd to a banquet or to a camp meeting—are causing the doves of peace to coo with their softest tones. Beyond Washington, also, the theme song is being picked up and repeated by every individual who can gain access to a radio microphone or gather a dozen listeners in one room.

It's a wonderful thing to live in a country where everyone loves peace.

But the same observer rambling around Washington and hearing the theme song of peace cannot fail to note also a war psychology, an alarmist point of view. It is a view that is being propagated from Washington, and there can be no mistake about it. And, so, I rise to ask why all of these war plans are coupled with the theme song of peace? For in every section of the national government those plans are going forward as though we were going to have a declaration of war just ahead of the newly fixed Thanksgiving day of November 23.

Why All These War Plans When Nation Is for Peace?

No mature person can ignore the dangers of war; nor ought any person make light of serious consideration of war plans. I certainly do not intend to treat the matter in a humorous vein, but I repeat the question: why all of these war plans when the nation is 99.44 per cent in favor of peace?

Let me set down some of the things that have happened around here and maybe it will clear why I have become puzzled:

The other day I was in the navy department. There, hanging in a most conspicuous place, was a sign which read: "Beware of Female Spies," and some other warning notes. It struck me that female spies are no more dangerous now than at any time in the last 50 years, and I observed to a navy officer that if foreigners wanted to know our military secrets, they would not wait until now to try to find out about them.

President Roosevelt announced a few days ago that he intended to add something like 75,000 men to the army, in accordance with discretionary authority granted by the last congress, and that during 1940 he expected to increase the army to its full authorized strength of 250,000 men.

Shortly after making known this decision, the President issued orders to the war department, directing construction of a series of new barracks and cantonments. These are to house the new army personnel. But congress has given no authority for that, nor has it appropriated money to be expended for that construction. Mr. Roosevelt called attention to this lack of authority, and explained that he believed there was no intention on the part of congress not to provide living quarters for the new soldiers. So, he is going ahead without that authority. He will ask congress to legalize his action when it meets in regular session next January. Before making known his intention to proceed, however, the President discussed the question with Comptroller General Brown, and the Comptroller General suggested that he be not requested to give a "formal opinion" on the President's right to carry out the program.

Navy yards throughout the country have been closed to visitors. For the first time in years, the capitol building is under police regulations as rigid as war time.

Again, Why the Paradox of Peace Songs and War Plans?

You will recall how on several occasions the President has made public statements about war dangers near our shores. First, he told his press conference one day that two submarines had been sighted, one off the Atlantic coast and the other off the shores of the state of Washington. There was that announcement also about the German gunboat that was meandering around somewhere in the Caribbean sea. Finally, Stephen Early, the President's press secretary, disclosed that the head of the German navy had sent a warning that an American ship—the Iroquois, was to be sunk. The German word, according to Mr. Early, was that the British were going to sink that ship which was loaded with American refugees from the war zone; and then they would blame the Germans for doing it. The purpose of all of this was to inflame American public opinion against the Nazis, so it was officially stated.

Now, I would have no way of knowing whether the U-boats were actually sighted and whether they were German or British or our own. Nor would I now anything about the German man-o-war that was reportedly cruising around not too far from American waters. Likewise, the Iroquois warning was something I could not know about. But these things, among many others, have prompted the general discussion and the inquiry as to the paradox of peace songs and war plans.

Dismissal of Mobilization Board Causes Speculation

Now, I can see some sound judgment in the decision to withhold from publication the report by the newly established industrial mobilization board which was headed by Edward R. Stettinius, one of the powers in the United States Steel corporation. That group of men, who surely could be trusted to be in favor of preserving the United States if anyone can be trusted to be patriotic, had made a careful analysis of all of the resources of the country that could be used for war purposes. It is presumed that the board drafted general plans and revised, or at least reviewed, many of the war department programs for war supplies. But Mr. Roosevelt deemed it best not to make the board's findings public. With that, surely, no one can disagree.

There is quite a difference between the sort of findings that represent such conclusions as those informed men could contribute and the sort of information that is obtainable every day concerning the mechanics of ships and guns and airplanes and there is a difference, too, between that and alarmist announcements about U-boats.

Just here the facts of the mobilization board's dismissal ought to be chronicled. The members of the board, or some of them with whom I had talked, believed they had been asked by the President to do a continuing job. They felt that they were something of a permanent agency, available at the call of the President. Whatever their belief was, however, it turned out that they were wrong. Those industrialists, working without pay and paying their own expenses, had been known as conservatives. Any conservative thinker is a dangerous individual to such men as the Corcoran-Cohen group of presidential advisers. No sooner had they started work, than it was bruited about in various quarters that these men were going to scuttle the New Deal. The "inner circle," a gang that came from oblivion into power and will eventually go back to oblivion, did not overlook a bet in spreading their gospel that the industrialists were out to wreck everything for which Mr. Roosevelt stood.

Can Easily Get Into War if Psychology of War Continues

The rumors concerning the activities of the members of the mobilization board spread rapidly and grew in number. It is made to appear that the sponsors got to Mr. Roosevelt with their propaganda. In any event, something happened with the suddenness of a rabbit jumping from a lair of weeds. Mr. Roosevelt announced in his press conference one afternoon that the mobilization board would make its report and would be dissolved. That would not have been a startling announcement except that none of the members of the board, nor the general staff officers of the war department who were working with the board, had any previous knowledge that their work was ended.

I have not attempted in this discussion to report all of the little incidents that have come along to excite curiosity. It is not to be forgotten that the congress was called into extraordinary session to act on the President's request for repeal of the arms embargo. Many persons saw no need for the extra session. And the passage of three weeks of debate on the question whether to keep the embargo against export of arms or repeal it has shown, as far as I am concerned, that it really does not matter which side wins. The United States is not going to get into war any more quickly by keeping the embargo than it will by repealing that mooted section. But it can get into war very easily, embargo or no embargo, if this psychology of war is continued from Washington.

Favorite Recipe of the Week

Cranberry Maple Syrup Pie.

1 tablespoon flour
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Pie pastry

Line an 8-inch plate with pastry. Sprinkle flour over bottom crust and add maple syrup. Top with whole raw cranberries. Cover with pastry, press edges together and brush top of crust with milk. Bake in hot oven, 400° Fahrenheit—about 40 minutes.

Now Everybody Nose To What Success Is Due

Much of the success of the local flower show had been due to Smith, who'd organized it, and, being an ardent horticulturist, had won quite a few prizes.

Later on, he was reading the report in the local paper when he jumped to his feet, with an angry bellow.

"Why, what's wrong?" asked Mrs. Smith, dropping her knitting.

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Ignorant Belief

Men are most apt to believe what they least understand.—Montaigne.

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Wanted: One Wife

After all, there's nothing like being particular. From a farm in Boxville, Ky., 24-year-old Joe Ellis Baker went to Evansville, Ind., and asked police there to help him find a wife. Qualifications: She may be either blonde or brunette, but must be a good cook, pretty and under 26. But the foregoing combined advantages are not quite enough for choosey Joe. It is absolutely essential that she also have $20,000 so he can buy a farm.

Honest Englishman

It's better late than never, reasoned Jesse Wallace, as he walked into a London, England, police station and handed a pair of old-fashioned gold-rimmed spectacles to the desk sergeant. "I found them when I was down here on my honeymoon 25 years ago," he explained, "and the matter slipped my mind until I got home. I decided to turn them over to police on my next visit to London, and this is it."

Do Not Open Until 2039

For opening 100 years hence, a package of tea has been put away in a safe place by the Empire Tea Market expansion bureau of London celebrating the centenary of the first tea produced in the British empire. The parchment-wrapped leaves were enclosed in aluminum foil to prevent oxidation and loss of taste, and the whole package placed in a lead case.

Your Wife in Paris

Tourists in France who wish they could bring the famous cuisine of that country home with them to America may now do so. The famous cooking school at 129 Faubourg Saint-Honore in Paris will now accept American women visitors for class and private lessons at convenient hours.

Wild Flowers on Rainier

A total of 556 varieties of wildflowers bloom on the alpine meadows of Mt. Rainier, three-mile-high snow peak in Washington state.

2,000 Camp Grounds

The 48 national forests of the United States now contain more than 2,000 public camp grounds.

Statue to Anonymous

At Budapest in Hungary is a statue to Anonymous, a notary who wrote a chronicle of Hungarian history, the first page of which having his name was lost; hence the commemoration of an unknown historian.

Blind Workman

Although practically blind, Irving f. Peck, Stratford, N. H., walks more than a mile every day to his farm woodlot and gets sufficient wood out to "pay my taxes and heat my home the year 'round."

Glare-Conscious America

One person in every 6½ bought a pair of sun glasses last year, reports the newly organized Sun Glass institute, whose members produced 20,000,000 pairs in 1938.

'Unfinished Business'

In a study of "Unfinished Business" in America, one authority reports that 200,000 railroad grade crossings are yet to be eliminated, 20,000,000 families are still without telephones, one out of five families lacks a radio, and only 38 per cent of U. S. water power is developed.

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"Death in the Foreign Legion"

HELLO, EVERYBODY:

Here's a yarn from North Africa and the Sahara country—a land that's always been full of adventures and glamor for us folks here at home. I got the bug once, and went there looking for thrills. I—well—I've got to confess that I found more fleas there than glamor, but I've also got to admit that there's plenty of adventure there too. So you can bet your last nickel that today's yarn, from Lieutenant Pierre Varges of Queens, N. Y., late of the French Foreign Legion, will be one of those tales that makes your heart pound and your hair stand up on end.

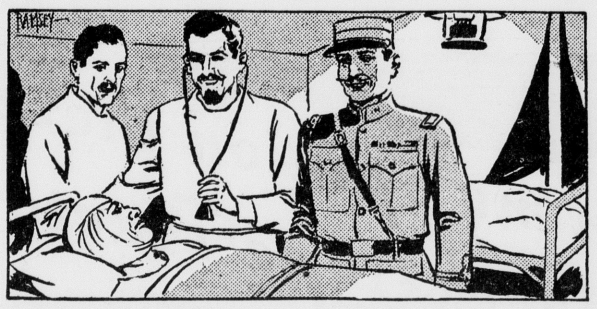
It happened on April 26, 1923, during the uprising of the Riff Kabilas under the leadership of Abd El Krim. Pierre Varges was then a sergeant in the 2nd Co., 1st Battalion of the Legion, stationed at El Harib, Morocco.

April found the 1st battalion on a punitive expedition at the borders of the Sahara. They had been chasing the Riffs for some time and finally, on the 16th, they came upon them entrenched in the hills just at daybreak. They were sniping at the legionnaires, and doing quite a bit of damage. Several times the legionnaires tried to drive them from their position—but to no avail. Finally, the captain of the second company received orders from the commanding officer to dislodge them at all cost.

Second Company Gets Orders to Advance.

The second company started to advance. Orders to charge were passed down the line to the section officers. The legionnaires spread out fanwise and waited for the captain's whistle. The Arabs, sensing what was coming, redoubled their fire. The whistle sounded. The charge was on!

"I have a hazy memory of what followed," says Pierre. "The screams of the wounded and the sickening noises of the bullets make you forget you are human. The world ceases to be, and you become an automaton intent on one purpose—to kill. My section was one of the first—way out in front—and, sacred pig, that charge was fast. A screaming, thundering surf of legionnaires swarmed up from all sides. One of my men fell writhing at my feet. No time to stop to help. Then, suddenly, the world seemed to explode in my head. Darkness! The end!"



"My head was swathed in bandages, and I was tied to the cot, still unable to move."

Pierre says he will never be sure what happened between then and two a. m. of the following day, but at that hour he started to regain consciousness. "I tried to open my eyes," he says, "but they felt as if they were glued shut. I just couldn't move them. Panic seized me. I didn't know if I was dead or alive. There seemed to be a terrible weight on top of me—all over me. I tried to move my arms and my legs, but I could not. I tried to call for help, but no sounds came from my throat. No doubt I was dead."

Seconds passed. Pierre's brain began to clear. He noticed he was breathing—and dead men didn't breathe. Then, slowly, the horror of the situation began to dawn on him. He wasn't dead. HE WAS BURIED ALIVE!

Right then and there, Pierre went insane. "I yelled and screamed like a thousand furies," he says. "I heard a shot—a series of muffled sounds—then silence again. Once more I lost consciousness. For how long, I don't know, but when I again awoke I was on a cot in the field hospital of our post. My head was swathed in bandages, and I was tied to the cot—still unable to move."

Doctor Explains Terrible Ride to Pierre.

What had happened? Had he been having a nightmare? Pierre turned his head, though it pained him to do it, and looked about the tent. In the next cot lay a private, tied to his cot in the same fashion as Pierre was. Pierre spoke to him, but he didn't answer. Then he called louder—just to hear his own voice. After all he had been through he wasn't even sure he had one. At the sound, the doctor, the captain, and a male attendant entered. The doctor spoke a few words with the captain, then both of them approached Pierre's bed. "Well, old fellow," said the captain, "how is the living dead man?"

Those words came so close to confirming Pierre's own suspicions that they frightened him. "The captain saw that I was upset—saw that I didn't grasp the meaning of his words," says Pierre, "so he proceeded to explain. A ricochette bullet had struck me in the right temple producing a ghastly looking wound which knocked me unconscious. The stretcher bearers, thinking me dead, put me on the dead wagon that is used to cart all corpses to the legion post.

"As the casualties that day were extraordinarily heavy, they placed the bodies on top of one another. The reason I could not move when I regained consciousness was that I was buried beneath a dozen or more of my dead companions."

About the time the captain got to that part of his story, Pierre put in a question.

"But, Mon Capitaine," he interrupted, "what of my eyes? I was unable to open them."

"Naturally," the captain answered. "Your face was covered with the blood of your dead comrades which seeped down from above. The blood coagulated over your face and completely sealed your eyes and even your nostrils. It is a miracle that you did not suffocate entirely."

At that moment, the legionnaire, tied to the cot beside Pierre's, let out an unearthly scream. The doctor went to him and gave him an opiate. The captain nodded toward him and said to Pierre. "You had a most horrible experience, my friend, but that one is even more upset than you over it. That is the sentry who was on duty near the dead wagon when you let out those so terrifying screams."

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Sheepdogs Given Annual Tests for Herding Efficiency

Sheep dogs of Scotland, Wales, and England have their day once each year when the International Trials are held in Edinburgh.

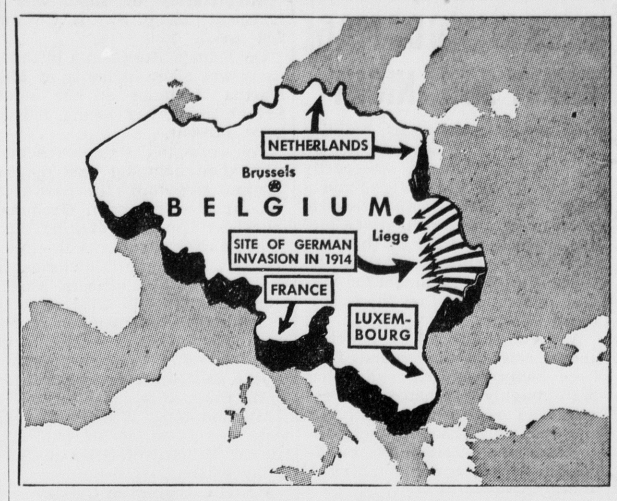
The trials are held to test efficiency in finding, driving and guiding sheep. As one of the simpler tests, a single sheep dog is sent out by his master to locate three sheep which are out of sight behind a small hill or rise in the ground. The dog must calm them, keep them together and drive them to a designated place.

As a further test, each dog must drive his sheep to a hurdle, pass it, guide the flock to the center of the field and circle another hurdle with them. He must be able to separate one sheep from a flock and to drive a group of sheep into a small pen. His master may signal him with whistles, signs or the voice, but usually the dog understands the task ahead fully as well as does his owner.

A good sheep dog never bites the sheep, for that would bruise their flesh and make it less valuable when sold. He seldom if ever barks and he has what is known as "the eye," an ability to hold the attention of sheep by looking at them. He must be able to inspire his charges with confidence and must be possessed of all the qualities which in men are known as tact.

PICTURE PARADE

Belgium Straddles the Fence, Hoping to Maintain Neutrality



Of all the little nations in Europe, Belgium has tried the hardest to preserve her neutrality, yet her job is also the hardest. Hemmed in between warring Germany and France on two sides, her soil easily violated, the land which suffered so severely in 1914 has shunned overtures from both the allies and Germany under the well-considered foreign policy of youthful King Leopold, outlined just two years ago when war clouds first began appearing over Europe:

"Any one-sided policy would only weaken our position . . . Even in case of a defensive treaty we would have to parry the first attack. It is true that, once we were overrun, the intervening powers would assure the final victory, but the fight would devastate the country far beyond the destruction of 1914-18. For this reason we must follow a 'purely and entirely Belgian policy.' This policy must aim to prevent the quarrels of our neighbors."

King Leopold (above) broke his treaty with France because history told him his country had often been the battlefield for wars between France and her enemies. Moreover, he vividly remembered the horrors of the last war when his father, the great King Albert (below), found himself helpless against German invasion. In 1914 and 1915 it was "bleeding Belgium" whose cause was so loudly shouted by the allies in seeking support from neutral nations. No doubt the Belgian "atrocities" were highly magnified by propaganda, but the invasion was nevertheless unhappy for Belgium. The photo below shows German soldiers making themselves comfortable in an estate near Liege in 1914, typical of the indignities Belgium has suffered throughout the centuries.

To prevent recurrence, Belgium stays neutral, yet is ready to protect neutrality with force. All frontiers have forts patterned after the Maginot line. Her arms is one of Europe's best, though small. But can Belgium stay neutral under pressure? Only time can tell.

Star Dust

★ *New Swedish Find*
★ *U. S. Film to Russia*
★ *Third Choice Takes It*

By Virginia Vale

INGRID BERGMAN is the heroine of the latest publicity build-up in Hollywood—perhaps the name isn't familiar to you now, but if it isn't soon the fault will lie with David Selznick's publicity staff. For Miss Bergman is the new Swedish discovery who makes her bow to film fans in "Intermezzo," with Leslie Howard.

She is pretty, charming and has a lovely smile. Stockholm is her home town. Whether she is as talented as her Swedish compatriot, Greta Garbo, remains to be seen.

"Intermezzo" is a romantic drama dealing with a world-famous musician who has to decide between

INGRID BERGMAN

home life with his family and the thrills of his life as an artist. Edna Best and John Halliday have supporting roles.

While Mr. Selznick was discovering a Swedish actress, Russian motion picture men were discovering an American one. Intorgkino, international film trading company for the Soviet Union, has bought Deanna Durbin's "One Hundred Men and a Girl" for distribution there. It is the first American picture bought for that market since 1936, when Charlie Chaplin's "Modern Times" and "City Lights" were purchased.

William Powell may appear in "Susan and God" opposite Greer Garson, who became famous overnight as a result of her appearance in "Goodby, Mr. Chips." But the doctors have the last say in regard to Powell's taking on this new assignment; two weeks of retakes for "The Thin Man Returns" necessitated a rest, as his health still isn't what it might be.

"Drums Along the Mohawk," according to an announcement from Twentieth Century-Fox, will be 14 reels long when it is released. Not the longest picture ever offered to the public, but the longest in Technicolor. In case you didn't read the book, it's a swell story.

It's three times and out for "My Girl Friday," the new screen version of "Front Page." Irene Dunne was offered the lead, and refused it. Jean Arthur was offered the lead, and also refused it, which resulted in her suspension without pay for 12 weeks. (However, her contract will be extended for that same period.) The picture finally got started with Rosalind Russell in the role that the Misses Dunne and Arthur wouldn't touch with a 10-foot pole. As a rule, when this sort of thing happens in a motion picture studio, the actress (or actor) who steps in and saves the day makes such a success that she leaps ahead several rungs on the ladder to fame.

Every radio broadcast has to have a production man; his job, principally, is to sit in the control room and guide the progress of the show to split-second accuracy of schedule. Since radio began it's been a man's job. But CBS's "Grand Central Station" is produced by a woman. She's Betzy Tuthill, from Tucson, Ariz.

You girls who'd like to take on a similar job will be interested in the story of her career. After being graduated from the University of Arizona she worked with the Harvard Film Service, editing and cutting educational films. Then she went to work for Irving Reis, who was directing the CBS Workshop series. She looked after his mail, did some casting, read scripts and helped re-write them. First thing anybody knew she was in the studio, helping with production.

Al Pearce, who added "I hope, I hope" to American slang, is back on the air on Wednesday nights from 8 to 8:30 eastern standard time, on a nation-wide hookup. He has a new Gang, which includes Billy House, the radio oldtimer, and Don Reid, a new lyric tenor who hails from Canada.

ODDS AND ENDS—The popular "Myrt and Marge" serial, soon to celebrate its eighth year on the air, came into being because the real Myrt and Marge were hit by the 1929 crash . . . The new March of Time, "The Battle Fleets of England," is a film story of the British navy today.

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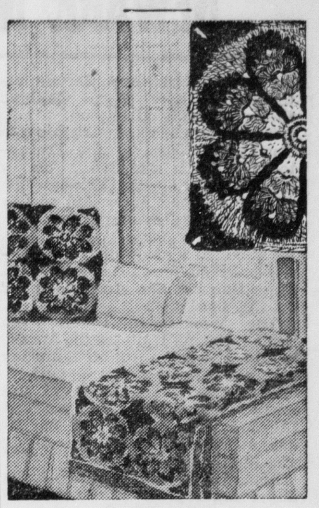
Crocheted Afghan In Colorful Pattern



Pattern 1955

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NEWARK NEWS NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Secada attended a show at an Oakland theater Sunday afternoon.

The members of Washington Township Parish of the Presbyterian Church attended a dinner given at Centerville Presbyterian church by the Ladies Aid society on Wednesday evening.

Thursday a large group of ladies attended a meeting at the Hayward Presbyterian to hear Mrs. Jesse Baird of San Anselmo speak on the seminary.

The Washington Union High School Hiking Club of the Washington Township spent Saturday at Big Basin on a hiking tour.

An engagement shower and party was held for Thelma Van Ike and Lyle Fisher last Thursday evening at the home of Mr and Mrs. Peter Van Ike.

Rev. V. Brown is reported to be improving rapidly at the Lettermen hospital in San Francisco.

Mrs. Ida Cox of Kansas returned home last week after spending a week visiting with her sisters, Mrs. R. O. Grace and Mrs. W. Q. Wright.

June Miller, eighth grade student of the Newark Grammar School received a letter last week containing several documents from Jack Anderson, representative of Congress from the eighth district of California. Mr. Anderson is a personal friend of Mr. Jack MacGregor, principal of the Newark Grammar School.

The documents sent are a copy of the speech which Pesident Roosevelt delivered before joint session of congress on September 21, 1939; a copy of Enactment of a law; a copy of T"he Constitution of the United States," together with another document which gives an account of the first session of Congress in 1789 was also sent.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bain and family spent Wednesday at Treasure island.

Tony Orland, E. J. Keener, and Stanley Majeski spent Saturday fishing at San Joaquin City. Each caught a limit of black bass.

Mr. and Mrs. James Nevis spent Saturday evening attending a theater party at San Francisco.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Newark Presbyterian held a regular meeting Wednesday evening at the Newark Presbyterian church, with Mrs. Barton Brown presiding.

Mrs. Bill Robinson was given a surprise farewell party and a handkerchief shower on Friday evening at the home of her mother, Mrs. Fred Muller, Mrs. Walter Rogers were hostess. The evening was spent in playing cards. Refreshments were served. Those present were: Mrs. Alwin Searles of Decoto; Mrs. Bell Looney of Santa Clara; Mildred Laudenslager of Centerville; Mrs. Charles Champion of Irvington; Mrs. Ralph Logan and Miss Anna Fife of Alvarado; Mrs. Fred Muller, Mrs. Walter Rogers and daughter, Jean. Mrs. Robinson will leave October 25th to make her home in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldred Laudenslager are the proud parents of a seven and a half pound baby boy born on Thursday evening at Silva's Maternity home in Niles. The babys name is Grand Eldred.

Clarence Anderson of Hayward, visited friends and relatives in Newark Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur T. Biddle spent last week in San Francisco attending a Masonic convention. On Wednesday they were at the Fair on Treasure island.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Smith and daughter, Helene, formerly of Newark, were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Biddle.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Scott of San Francisco spent the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sam Scott.

Mrs. Francis Ann Robinson entertained the Stitch-em-up Club at the home of her mother. Mrs. Fred Muller, on Friday afternoon. They celebrated the birthday of Mrs. Dick Howel.

Mrs. Lucille Lewis and children, Marlene and Melvin, spent Sunday at Treasure island.

The caterpillar tractor demonstration for the benefit of the Washington township ranches was held at the Arthur Haley ranch on Monday.

Miss Margaret Griffin of the Alameda county library visited the Newark branch recently.

Marjorie and Mirriam Costa of San Francisco were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Costa.

Mrs. D. E. Laudenslager gave birth to a baby boy at the Silva Maternity home in Niles last Thursday.

Mrs. Margaret Pashote was taken to the East Oakland hospital on Thursday, where she underwent an operation. She is improving nicely.

Mrs. Mary Calderia, Mrs. Annie Calderia and daughter Bernice, Ernestine Silva, and Evelyn Santos spent Columbus Day at Sonora visiting Mrs. Deonizio.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Gould and son spent Thursday evening attending a theater party in San Jose.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Anderson and family of Richmond visited Mr. and Mrs. Chris Anderson on Saturday.

Eva Steinhoff entertained the afternoon bridge club on Wednesday afternoon. Refreshments were served after the games.

Misses Brown of Arden entertained relatives from Idaho on Wedensday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kubler of Hayward spent Sunday visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Henry Callow.

Yvonne George returned home Friday after spending a month at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Marshall.

Angie Roderick and daughter visited Mrs. Joe Machado on Thursday.

Mary Machado, Florence and Leona May, spent Saturday in Oakland on business.

J. L. Music and son Lanson, of Crescent City. visited with relatives in Newark and Decoto on Friday and Saturday.

Many Newark people attended the Mission Fire Department dance at Mission San Jose Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pashate spent Sunday evening in San Jose visiting friends.

Mrs. Dora Greb. known to her many Newark friends as Mother Bluebird, was a visitor in Newark for the week end.

A business and social meeting of the Bluebird club was held Tuesday evening at the home of Elsa Mikkelsen. A short business meeting was called by President Mary Duarte, the principle discussion being the Halloween ball to be given at Swiss Park on Saturday evening, October 28th. Committees had very fine reports to make, saying that tickets were selling quickly. Final arrangements for the dance were made, and a committee was also appointed to attend to the purchasing of flowers or plants for anyone whom they knew to be sick.

After the business meeting an hour of cards was enjoyed, first prize going to Julia Ruschin; second prize to Rose Santos. and consolation prize to Beatrice Miller. Refreshments were then served. Next meeting will be held at the home of Julia Ruschin. Those present were, Mary Duarte, Julia Ruschin, Elsa Mikkelsen the hostess, Violet Manley, Beatrice Miller, Mabel Callow, Rose Santos, Emily Reider, Frances Turnbow, Marie Dutra and Lida Francis.

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FIRE IN SILVA BLDG. DOES $1,500 DAMAGE EARLY SUN. NIGHT

A two-story business building belonging to J. F. Silva, located on Main street, Newark, was partly destroyed by fire early Sunday night. The Newark fire department under the direction of Chief Joe. Pashote assisted by the Centerville department, headed by Chief Fred Rogers, fought for several hours before they were able to put it out.

A meeting hall on the upper floor and a cafe on the ground floor were badly damaged, and it has been roughly estimated that repairs and replacements will cost approyimately $1,500, as there was no insurance on either the building, equipment or merchandise.

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IRVINGTON

Postmaster and Mrs. M. C. Josephs attended the Colombus Day program at [illegible] Grammer school which was held on Thursday, last week.

Miss Carolyn Vargas, daughter of Mrs Clotilda Vargas, and niece of Mrs. Joseph, participated in the program.

Mrs. Evelyn Garcia attended the reception given in honor of Miss Olive Perry and Thom. Silva Jr., who were united in marriage on Monday, Oct. 16. at the Holy Ghost church in Centerville. The reception was held at the home of Mr and Mrs Jesse Perry in Decoto.

On the third of October, an Auxiliary was formed by the wives of the Irvington Firemen, which will assist the Firemen socially. Until the new firehouse is completed the women will conduct the meetings at their homes.

The officers elected were as follows: Mrs. Myrtle Carey, president, Mrs. Mae Raymond, vice President; Mrs. Loudinena Hirsch,, Secretary, Mrs Fannie Cramer, Treasurer and Mrs. Lucille Day. Program chairman.

The second meeting of the auxiliary was held at Leal's meeting house after which refreshments were served. Plans for a dance sometime in November are being arranged.

Lieutenant Lloyd Gomes and his wife spent several days of last week in the bay region. Lt Gomes is an officer in the U. S. army and is stationed at Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyoming. He visited with his sisters, Mrs. Wm. Hirsch Jr., Mrs. A. E. Monese and brother, Edwin Gomes, of Irvington. Since leaving the bay region they are touring the Southwest before returning to Wyoming.

On Tuesday evening last week a birthday party was given in honor of Mrs. Anna Leal, wife of Frank C Leal. The guests were, Mr and Mrs Joseph Perry, Mr and Mrs. Leonard Freitas and son, Sonny and daughter. Dorothy, Mr and Mrs. E. A. Quaresma, Mr and Mrs J. Valim of Warm Springs, Mr and Mrs Henry Machado of Centerville, Mr and Mrs Frank Leal and daughter, Lorraine and son Richard, of Oakland, Jack, Louise and Terisa Lenoda.

Mrs Elli Lutz attended the fair on Treasure Island Wednesday.

Mr. Ruthford, Mrs. Mazie Gray, and son, Buddy Gray, were week end guests at the H. T. Cushing home.

Mrs. Harry Cushing attended a meeting of her bridge club in Pleasanton Tuesday.

Mrs. Hurley of sunol was a luncheon guest of Mrs. H. Cushing last week.

On Friday afternoon a birthday party was given in honor of Miss Martha Grimmer at her home. Seventeen of her young friends were present.

The Irvington Parent-Teachers association held the first regular meeting beginning the new season at the Irvington Grammar school on Thursday evening. Mrs World of San Jose, was the guest speaker, her topic "Cafeterias in the schools" The officers. chairmen, teachers and trustees were introduced to new members. There were 65 present. Refreshments were served in the new cafeteria by the children under supervision of the Camp Fire girls.

Mr. and Mrs. William Dargitz were the guest of Mr and Mrs Harold Milliard of Niles on Saturday evening.

Mrs H C Ingram of Gridley is a guest at the home of her brother, Dr. J. H. Durham, for several days

Mr and Mrs Jos. R. Silveria attended a barbecue at the home of Mr. and Mrs August on the John Santos Rd. in Centerville Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Al Manese attended the Fair on Treasure Island Sunday.

Mrs. Manuel Estacio of Warm Springs became the mother of twins, a boy and a girl. at the Silva Maternity home Oct. 10. The twins are a boy, weighing six pounds at birth, and a girl, weight seven pounds.

Among those who attended the Firemen's Dance held at Mission San Jose last Saturday night were: Mr and Mrs. Harold Garcia, Mr and Mrs. Wayne Day, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Haynes, Mr and Mrs. Alfred Piexoto, Mr and Mrs F Kohlmoos, Mr and Mrs Ben Cramer, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Harvey, Mr and Mrs Edward L Rose. Marceline Rogers, Joseph R Silveria, Alvin Monese, Dan Rose, Mr. and Mrs Oliver Campos, Chris Gomes, Dorothy Mello, Irene, Dolores and Marie Brown, and Leslie Calahan LeRoy Raymond and Mr and Mrs Stepp Raymond.

The Irvington Camp Fire girls held their regular meeting last week and election of officers took place. Those elected were: president, Ebba Rae Benbow; vice president Alice Thomas; secretary, Rachel Williams; treasurer. Sally Wayoila; scribe, Dorothy Freitas; assistant scribe, Eleanor Enos; flag bearer, Geraldine Cabyuan; assistant flag bearer, Angie Colmenero; song leader, Beverly Soito; guardian, Mrs. Stella Benbow, and assistant guardian Miss Barbara Root.

The Irvington Boy Scout and Camp Fire Girls held a swim party at Hayward Plunge last Tuesday, accompanied by Mrs. Lee Williams Mrs. Vera Davis and Mr and Mrs R Benbow.

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The Register for job printing.

STATEMENT OF THE OWNERSHIP, MANAGEMENT, CIRCULATION, ETC., REQUIRED BY THE ACTS OF CONGRESS OF AUGUST 24, 1912, AND MARCH 3, 1933

Of Township Register published weekly at Niles, Calif. for October 1939.

State of California)
) ss.
County of Alameda)

Before me. a Notary Public in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared F. E. Rogers. who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the publisher of the Township Register and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management (and if a daily paper, the circulation', etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, as amended by the Act of March 3. 1933, embodied in section 537, Postal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse of this form, to wit:

1. That the name and address F. E. Rogers, Niles, California

2. That the owner is. F. E Rogers Niles Calif.

3. That the known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are: Norman H. Parks, Niles. Calif.

SIGNED F. E. Rogers

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 13th day of October, 1939

Palmyra L. Mosegaor

(My commission expires 1943)

SEAL

CERTIFICATE OF INDIVIDUAL TRANSACTING BUSINESS UNDER A FICTITIOUS NAME
No. 9166

J. LAWRENCE EIGHOLZ, doing business as EAGLE AUTO-PACK CO.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned, J. Lawrence Eigholz, is transacting business in the County of Alameda and State of California, under the name of:

EAGLE AUTO-PACK CO.

That the said J. Lawrence Eigholz is the sole owner of said business. that his name in full and place of residence is as follows:

J. Lawrence Eigholz,
66 Palm Drive,
San Leandro, California.

Dated, October 9, 1939.

J. LAWRENCE EIGHOLZ.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF ALAMEDA—ss:

On this 10th day of October, 1939, before me P. J. DEMPSEY, a Notary Public in and for the County of Alameda, State of California, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared, J. LAWRENCE EIGHOLZ, known to me to be the person described in and whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and he acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

(Notarial Seal)

P. J. DEMPSEY,
Notary Public in and for the County of Alameda, State of California.

Paul J. Dempsey,
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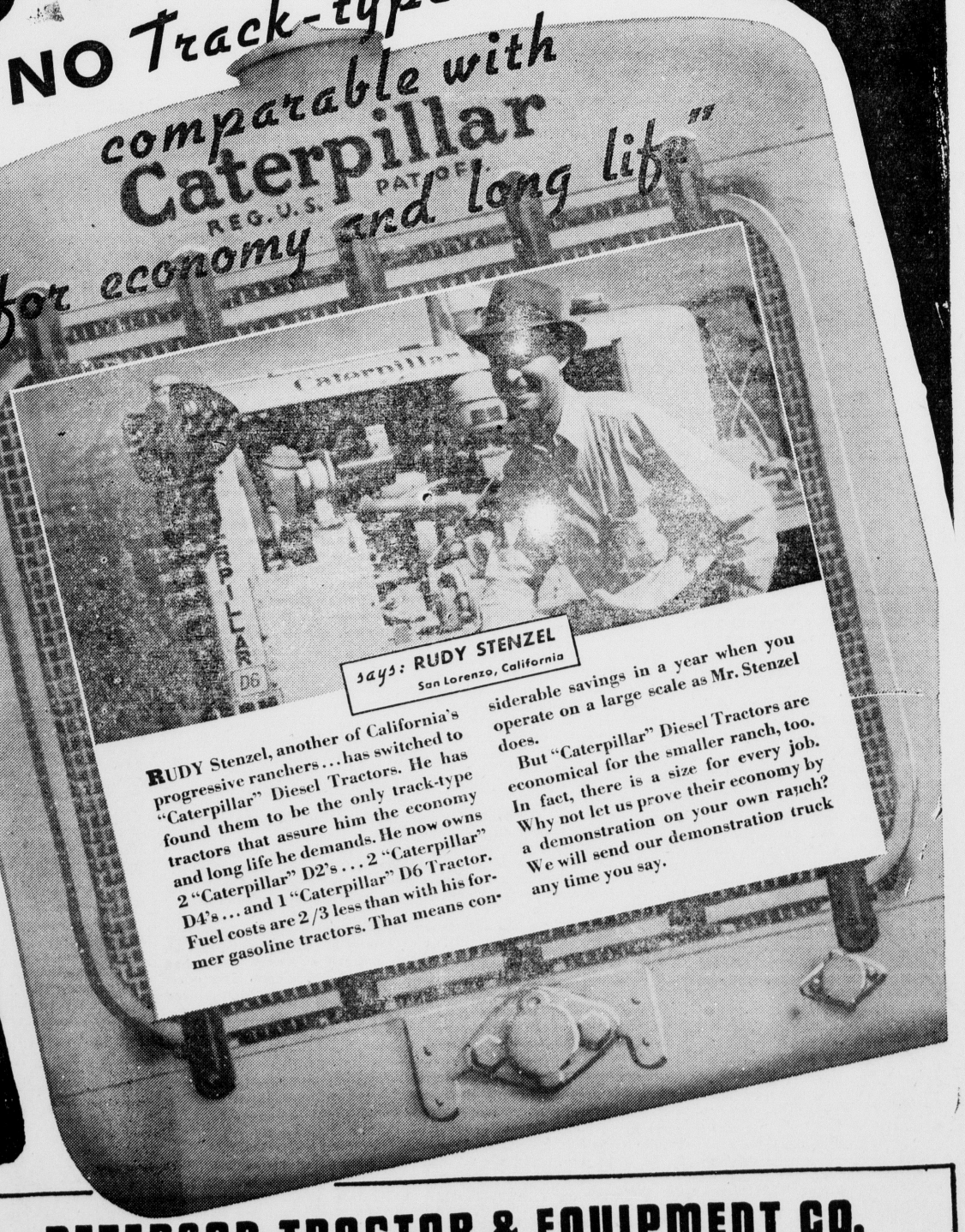

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